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NAVY

Of the German Government

Is Being Built

To a Standard Intended to Compete

With Uncle Sam's Armada for Future Supremecy in the West.

South America is Coveted by Europeans Who Know the United States Will Enforce the Monroe Doctrine.

London, April 27. — The Saturday Review says that the expansion of the German navy is more in preparation for a contest with the United States than with Great Britain, because the readiest causes for future naval conflicts will be found in the struggle for the partition or the exploitation of the great South American continent."

The Review devotes a page to a description of the resources of South America and Germany's hundreds of thousands of settlers in Brazil and Chile, and the inability of Germany pursuing her designs in South America without a conflict with the United States. The article concludes with the statement that it would not be good policy for Great Britain to oppose Germany's legitimate aims, and that an alliance with the United States that had for its purpose the maintenance of the Monroe doctrine "would not only be in ludicrous opposition to our own interests, but it would rightly arouse every other nation to a death struggle against a genuine Anglo-Saxon menace."

Natives Revolt.

Algiers, April 27.—The natives broke out in revolt near the town of Milianah, in Oran province. The department administrator of the province and some native horsemen are reported as prisoners with the rebels. A Spaniard has been killed and the village of Marguerite was looted. Several persons were wounded. Troops have been ordered to the scene.

One report, which is as yet unconfirmed, is to the effect that 10 Europeans were killed at Marguerite. On the arrival of the troops the rebels were repulsed and fled into the mountains. One of the soldiers was killed and two officers were wounded. Troops have repaired to the scene of trouble. The rebellion is solely for pillage and has no political aspects.

Spy a Pole.

Paris, April 27.—The spy who has been arrested here on a charge of having communicated to Herr Krupp the secret of the manufacture of guns at the Commentry arms factory is a Pole named Ievanovitz. He was a head waiter at the Hotel Chatham in Paris. During an absence last winter he went to Commentry, where, it is alleged, he suborned a number of workmen of the Commentry arms factory into betraying for Herr Krupp the secret process of manufacturing a certain metal employed for cannon and shells in the Commentry factory. Four of the factory workmen have been arrested.

Riding For a Fall.

London, April 27.—The unstable character of the government majority received a pointed illustration in the house of commons during the discussion on the money votes. Numerous divisions were taken in a thinned house, the government majorities ranging from 40 to 60. The Liberals cheered jubilantly for they are pleased to see so speedy a result of the government's war and financial policy. It is evident that unless the government is really riding for a fall, their whips need constantly to be alert in order to prevent an unpleasant surprise.

Victims of the Explosion.

Frankfort-on-the-Main, April 27.—The revised estimates of the killed in the Greisheim disaster indicate that the first figures were exaggerated because fragments of bodies were counted as each representing individuals. Herr Lang, the manager of the works, and four chemists, are among the injured. Sixty persons were hurt and most of them are suffering from broken limbs and burns. They have been placed in the hospitals here and at Hoechst. Many persons are homeless.

Chamberlain Explains.

London, April 27.—Mr. Chamberlain, the colonial secretary, informed a questioner in the house of commons that the government did not propose to inaugurate a full scheme of civil administration in South Africa during Sir Alfred Milner's absence, which would be of short duration. The work of reorganization would proceed, however, on the lines laid down by Sir Alfred, whose place (as British high commissioner) would be temporarily fulfilled by Lord Kitchener.

Four New Canals.

Vienna, April 27.—The imperial government has submitted to the reichsrath a bill authorizing the construction of four canals in the Danube, Moldau, Elbe and Vistula districts. The work of construction is to begin in 1904 and will be completed in 1924. Two hundred and fifty million kronen, at 4 per cent, are to be borrowed before 1912, and further funds for the construction of these four canals will be borrowed when necessary.

Accident Insurance Ruling.

Indianapolis, April 27.—Judge McMasters of the county circuit court found for the plaintiff, Frank Carson, in his suit against the Phoenix Accident Insurance company for $30.20 for damages caused by the bite of a kissing bug. The court held that the bite of any insect which incapacitates a man from his vocation is an accident under the policy. Carson, while asleep last summer, was bitten on the lip by a kissing bug. He was laid up for two weeks.

THREE MEN

Were Suffocated and Three Others May Die as Result of a Fire.

Chicago, Apl. 27.—Three men were suffocated and three others may die as the result of a fire in a tenement house at 2543 Lasalle street this morning. The men were rag pickers and all were asleep in the building which is also used as a second hand store. Fifteen of the inmates are locked up pending investigation as it is thought the building was set on fire. The men had been drinking and quarrelling.

TRAIN

Got Away and Crashed Into an Engine.

Frightful Wreck Occurs at Burgin, Ky., in Which Engineer and Fireman Were Killed.

Burgin, Ky., April 27.—A freight wreck occurred here at 11 o'clock last night in which engineer Dan Christan and fireman John Malley, both of Ludlow, were instantly killed in a horrible manner. A double header train enroute from Somerset to Cincinnati stopped on the down grade a few hundred yards south of the depot. The engines were cut loose and moved to the depot while taking water, and the train losing control of its brakes, came thundering down, dashing into one locomotive, driving its cab upon the top of the engine. The fireman and engineer met death instantly, both being crushed and scalded in a fearful manner.

TEAM

Will Meet for Practice Tomorrow Afternoon.

Base Ball Will be a Little Late in Lima Because of Trouble in Securing Grounds.

While the base ball season, so far as Lima is concerned, is yet a matter of postponement. Manager Sealts is doing everything in his power to bring influence upon the owners of the west end ball grounds, to grant a lease for the present year. The street railroad company is interested in the matter, and until a lease is secured the management will be entirely at sea. As soon as a decision is definitely given, arrangements will be made to play either on the old grounds or some others that are convenient to the car line.

Manager Sealts has a number of letters from outside that are anxious to come to Lima for a game, but as matters now stand, nothing can be done. There are fine grounds at McBeth's lake that will be fitted up no doubt next season, but as the cars will not be running there until the latter part of June at the earliest, the season of base ball will be too far spent to wait.

The members of the team are instructed to meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 in full uniform for practice at the old grounds.

Four Suspects Held.

Carbondale, Ills., April 27. — Four men, charged with having shot William Lucas near Grafton, Ky., have been captured in this vicinity and positively identified as the criminals by one of their number, who has turned state's evidence. The fifth party is thought by detectives of the Illinois Central system to be a woman named Bertha McCord, alias Bertha Goldsmith, who was arrested at Carterville, dressed in male attire.

PLAN

For a Revision of the Creed

Is Now Ready

To be Submitted to the Assembly.

General Assembly of Presbyterian Church Meets on May 16.

Committee Recommends a New Statement of Doctrine or a Revision of the Confession Itself.

Pittsburg, April 27.—A subcommittee of the committee on the revision of the creed, appointed by the general assembly of the Presbyterian church, was in session in this city formulating its report, which is to be presented to the general assembly in Philadelphia on May 16. At the recent meeting in Washington the committee divided, and majority and minority reports were considered. The functions of the subcommittee are those of a returning board. The vote of the presbyteries has been taken on the question of changing the creed and on several alternative inquiries. This committee tabulated the results and stated just what is the wish of the Presbyterian body in the United States.

After a pleasant and harmonious meeting the committee decided upon two important features of the plan for revision, which will be presented to the general assembly. These features are as follows, and are the most urgently demanded by the presbyteries: "First, a new statement of doctrine to be issued as a supplement to the confession of faith; second, a revision of the confession itself, either by the addition of declaratory paragraph or a change in the text."

The report is a compromise to satisfy the two great classes of opinion among the presbyteries. A large number wish the reinstatement of the creed and others wish a revision of the whole. The question of foreordination and predestination is treated of in chapter 3, and the committee recommends that these subjects be amended by a committee to be appointed by the general asembly.

The report which the subcommittee will make to the general assembly was unanimously agreed to, and is as follows:

"Your committee finds, on examination of the returns from the presbyteries, the following facts: "That the returns indicate that the church desires some change in its credal statement; second, that the returns indicate that no change is desired which would in any way impair the integrity of the system of doctrine contained in the confesison of faith; third, these returns indicate that it is the mind of the church that the confession shall be interpreted throughout, in harmony with the teaching of Scripture, that God is not willing that any one should perish, nor is it the decree of God, but the wickedness of their own hearts, which brings about their downfall; fourth, these returns indicate that a plurality of the presbyteries desired that changes should be made by some new statement of present doctrines; fifth, the returns also indicate a desire on the part of many presbyteries for some revision of the present confession, especially in chapter III, chapter X, section 3; chapter XVI, section 7; chapter XXII, section 3; chapter XXV, section 6, with additional statement concerning the love of God for all men, and the Holy Spirit."

Additional Indictments.

New York, April 27.—Alfred L. Patrick, David Short and Morris Meyer, under indictment for acts in connection with the death of William Marsh Rice of Texas, were brought into the court of general sessions to plead. Counsel for Patrick asked for an adjournment, as they had another case on trial, and the arraignment went over until Wednesday, May 12. The grand jury returned an additional indictment against Meyer and Short, charging each with perjury.

General Ludlow Very Ill.

Manilla, April 27.—Owing to his illness the appointment of Brigadier General William Ludlow to be military governor of the Department of the Visayas has been revoked. A board of surgeons has made an examination and reports that General Ludlow suffered from an attack of la grippe and localized congestion, which has developed into a dangerous case of tuberculosis. General Ludlow will return to the United States by first transport.

Suppressing Disloyalty.

Bloemfontein, Orange River Colony, April 27.—The provost marshal, presiding over a court of summary jurisdiction, has announced his intention of suppressing disloyal utterances. He has ordered a British subject named Mitchell to be deported to Ceylon for abusing an army order to the effect that householders shall suspend a board outside their doors giving the names of all the occupants of that particular house.

Touched by a Tornado.

Winnipeg, April 27.—A tornado, which passed through the Rosser and Stony mountain districts, about 20 miles west of Winnipeg, did great great damage at Rosser, and it is feared serious losses will be reported when news is received from the district at large. The storm at Rosser deflected slightly, crossing to Stony mountain and thence to Selkirk.

Penalty For "Absent Treatment."

Kansas City, April 27.—Stephen A. Weltmer and Joseph K. Kelly, formerly president and secretary of the Weltmer institute of magnetic healing at Nevada, Mo., who recently pleaded guilty to indictments charging them with using the mails to defraud, were each fined $1,600 by Judge Philips in the United States district court.

GALENA

The Former Home of General Grant,

Preparing for an Elaborate Celebration

To be Held in Honor of the Seventy-ninth Anniversary of the Birth of That Soldier and Statesman.

Galena, Ills., April 27. — Galena is draped from one end to the other with bunting, and everything is in readiness for the celebration of the seventy-ninth anniversary of the birth of General Ulysses S. Grant. The exercises will be held in Turner hall and will be preceded by a parade comprising numerous civic organizations and veterans of the Grand Army. Rev. F. W. Gunsaulus of Chicago will deliver the oration of the day, taking the place of William J. Calhoun, who was forced to cancel his engagement on account of serious illness.

CHICAGO

Groom Came to Lima to Claim His Bride.

Miss Harriett Bennett Married at High Noon Today,

The Charming Event Being Celebrated at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris on North West Street.

A few invited gliests were present at a wedding solemnized at high noon today, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Morris on north West street, in which Miss Harriett Bennett and Frank D. Carpenter were the contracting parties. Miss Bennett came to Lima from Chicago about three years ago, being brought here to assume the position as stenographer in the Manhattan Oil Company's offices, and during her stay she has endeared herself to a host of admiring friends.

Mr. Carpenter is a resident of Chicago, holding the position of city representative for one of the largest wholesale houses in the city. He has been a frequent visitor in Lima and upon those occasions established an acquaintance which brought him into contact with social circles where his good qualities were tested and admired.

In honor of the nuptial event the handsome Morris home was made en fete, being elaborately decorated for the occasion with the flowers which add the necessary grace to an event of such importance. Rev. Figley, pastor of Trinity M. E. church, performed the beautiful ring ceremony and the departure of the bride and groom was accompanied by the liberal showers of rice and old shoes which custom has made almost indespensible.

Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter took their leave on the south bound C. H. & D. train for Dayton, it being their intention to visit for a week with relatives of the groom in that city and Springfield before their final departure for Chicago, their past and future home. They will be received there with open arms by old and time-tried friends, thus adding to their cup of happiness, but the charming bride has a regret which is shared by her circle of friends in Lima that the separation was necessary.

JOHN

To Make One More Effort

To Play Cards

For a New Isthmian Canal Treaty

That Will Suit the Senators Who Must Ratify the Measure,

And at the Same Time Tickle the Palate of Johnny Bull So Fondly That He Will Swallow it Whole.

Washington, April 27.—The administration has succeeded at last in securing a collection of opinions from the leaders of the senate of all political parties upon which to base negotiations for a new isthmian canal treaty to replace the Hay-Pauncefote treaty. In other words, it is aware of the wishes of powers, and the only problem is to frame a treaty that will reflect those views, insuring a two-thirds vote for ratification, and yet shall be acceptable to the British government. If, as reported from London, the indispensable condition is a neutrality clause, officials here feel that success on this point seems within reach. It is expected that two drafts of a treaty will be framed before long, probably the latter part of June, on Mr. Hay's return from the west. It is hardly expected, however, that final results will be attained before next autumn, after the return of Lord Pauncefote from London.

England's Condition.

London, April 27.—The negotiations proceeding on the subject of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty in this connection are understood to be based on the sine qua non of neutrality of the canal. If this can be definitely assured it now seems likely Great Britain will agree to abrogate the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, though there is still the possibility of an endeavor on the part of Great Britain to simultaneously bring up the Alaskan boundary matter. This last contingency is officially described as being merely a question of policy, not very likely to be pursued if the United States is content to make the canal neutral.

BUFFALOS

Elected a Full Set of Officers Last Night

And They Will Be Installed Next Tuesday Evening, the Event to Be Followed by a Social Session.

The Buffalos met last night in their lodge room and after a meeting at which considerable business was transacted, elected the following officers:

Chief Bison, J. W. Beall; Deputy Bison, W. C. Bell; Financial Register, J. C. Cronley; Corresponding Register, Walter Scott; Commissary, W. H. Woolery; Parson, J. N. Hutchison; Ranger, Alex. Frankel; Scout, McDougal Emmet; Messenger, O. G. Tague; Councilors to Chief Bison, Geo. Halterman and W. H. Crimmel; Councilors to Deputy Bison, Dr. T. M. Johnson and J. W. Harmon; Outer Picket, Harry Keller; Inner Picket, L. J. Whitmer; Executive Committee, J. B. Lomison, Fred Herold, J. G. Lamison, W. W. Crooks and E. J. DuGray.

J. G. Lamison was appointed installing officer and the above will be inducted into office with all due ceremony at the regular meeting next Tuesday evening. The first social session of the new order will follow the installation, to which all members of the herd are invited.

R. E. Poage and D. C. Richmond, jr., have been appointed state organizers and the lodge has furnished them with all of the necessary blanks and proper credentials. Applications from several cities, where subordinate lodges are wanted have been received and the organizers will start out early next week, visiting first the cities that are near Lima. Everything points toward phenominal success and the Buffalos, it is now assurred, have come to stay.

Million Dollar Loss.

Frankfort-on-the-Main, Apl. 27.—The loss by the destruction of the Electric Chemical works at Greishman is estimated at one million dollars.

Pretoria Post Vacant.

Washington, April 27. — Adelbert Hay, consul to Pretoria, has resigned. In view of the great expense of living at Pretoria, it is possible that the office will be left vacant until congress can have an opportunity to act on a recommendation from the executive looking to an increase in the salary of the office of consul general at Pretoria.

Cuban Campaign Opens.

Havana, April 27.—The Democrats will hold in Matanzas, Sunday, the opening rally of the campaign. The platform to be submitted for adoption by the mass meeting will favor acceptance of the Platt amendment, and will indorse Governor General Wood. Among the speakers will be Senor Giberga, Senor Montoro, Senor Hernandez, Senor Pierra and Senor Garcia.

Crispi's Close Call.

London, April 27.—Signor Francesco Crispi, the distinguished Italian statesman, has just had a narrow escape from serious injury. According to a dispatch from Rome he upset a lamp in his study. The flames spread rapidly and his servants rescued him only with the utmost difficulty.

CHRISTIAN

Declines to Ask for Political Snuff

Whenever He Feels That He Wants to Sneeze.

A Letter from the President of the Curry School Which Vindicates the Position of Rev. Christian.

Mr. Editor Times-Democrat: I see by the morning Republican-Gazette an article containing grave charges against me. The following letter fully vindicates me as to any imposition with regard as to the school of Urbana:

Rev. R. W. Christian, Lima, O.

Dear Brother:—We were much pleased to have met you and enjoyed your sermons, too. I have with my faculty considered the proposal made by you. We are willing to give credentials for the city of Lima, as a trial on 30 days. If things prove a success, we will gladly continue.

Upon your reply I will fix you out for work. Let me know who has the box. Resp't. Yours,

E. W. B. CURRY, Pres. C. S.

I have planned some work for the school, and that, too, by the direction of Pros. Curry. So far as the Second Baptist church, of Lima, is concerned, I have not at any time represented myself as pastor of the church since I resigned, which indeed would be very foolish on my part, with the publication of my resignation. I further see a statement purporting to come from George Hall, in which he makes the assertion that I carried a book with a number of names of persons who had expressed a willingness to contribute to the schools. I will say in reply that I have never asked George Hall nor talked to him concerning Curry School. I did at one time, while pastor of the Baptist church of this city ask him for a contribution for said church, which he refused to give. I cannot see why he should go so far out of his way as to make his statements, since I have had no talk with him concerning Curry School. It does seem strange to me, that men who have pretended to be the greatest friend of my race will seemingly deny us the right to act as American freeman on all public questions, political or otherwise. I have not and will not collect nor receive one cent of money without proper authority. I thank the many friends, who have been kind to me in my endeavors. I have decided fully to make Lima my home permanently, and if a few cheap Republican politicians think that they can run me from the town, they are mistaken, for they have run up against the wrong snag. I have met every business promise I have ever made, since being in this city, and shall endeavor to continue to do the same, God helping me. In politics I shall do as I please. If the Republican bosses of this city or state presume for one moment that I will ask them for snuff whenever I want to sneeze politically, they are mistaken. I will carry my own snuff and sneeze how and when I get ready, being a free American elector.

Respectfully

R. W. CHRISTIAN.

Election of Mayor Wells Contested.

St. Louis, April 27.—Notice of contest was served on Mayor Rolla Wells by Lee Meriwether, the municipal ownership party's candidate for that office. In the notice of contest Mr. Meriwether asserts that a conspiracy to steal the election existed between the Democratic managers, the police and the Jefferson club.

OHIO

River is Now Slowly Receding.

But Six Days

Will be Necessary to Afford Relief

To All in the Lower River Lands in and About the Queen City.

In the Lower Valley to the Southwest of Cincinnati the Waters Still Continue to Rise Slowly.

Cincinnati, April 27.—The Ohio river became stationary here when the limit of 59.6 feet was reached. The flood will decline very slowly, and it will take six days before a stage of 25 feet will be reached. A reduction to 50 feet, the danger line at Cincinnati, will not come before Monday. The conditions on both sides of the river here are quite serious. Relief committees have been organized at many places above Cincinnati where there is distress.

No such distress is reported from the lower Ohio valley, into which the crest of the flood has now passed, as came from different places up river.

In the Lower Valley.

Evansville, Ind., April 27.—The river is rising slowly. A stage of 43 feet is expected Sunday afternoon. The farmers' houses are built on stilts and men are going about in skiffs. At Henderson, Ky., the river is several miles wide. Thousands of logs are passing here. The indications are that the river will begin falling here after Monday. The City of Pittsburg passed and reported hundreds of people homeless between here and Cairo.

Thousands Homeless.

Ripley, O., April 27.—The inundation here is so complete that all business has been suspended and will be until Monday. At Portsmouth, O., a rise in the Scioto river has made the situation worse in the northern part of the city. Over 2,000 people have been driven from their homes in the Portsmouth district, and the loss to the buildings and in the suspension of business is very heavy.

DELEGATES

From the Cuban Island Pleased

With the Result of Their Visit to Uncle Sam.

General Betancourt Believes That Explanations Offered Should Satisfy the Cuban People.

Washington, April 27.—General Pedro E. Betancourt, one of the most influential members of the Cuban delegation, said: "The Platt amendment has been before the people of Cuba for some time, and there have been varying views as to the meaning and construction of its terms. Now we come here to secure information from those best able to give it, as to the meaning of all these points. Thus far I think I can say for myself and my associates, that discussion has produced an agreeable impression upon us. It has shown a very earnest effort on both sides to deal with the subject in such a spirit of fairness and honor as would reach a conclusion satisfactory to all concerned."

MISCREANTS

Rob Graves of Their Bones and Wreck A Historical Chapel.

Pittsburg, Apl. 27.—Skulls and bones of dead in the St. Marys cemetery in a score of graves on Nunnery hill, Allegheny, have been scattered over the ground and the historical chapel has been secretly destroyed during the past few nights by a gang of men. The miscreants tore open the graves and used the bones as clubs in mock battles and to smash the windows in the church. Arrests are expected today.

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Catarrh

Is a disease of the mucous membrane or inner lining of the nose, throat, lungs, stomach, bowels and other organs. It is caused by a cold or succession of colds irritating the delicate surfaces, and is promoted by scrofulous taints in the blood.

It is especially dangerous in persons having a predisposition to consumption.

In these and all other catarrhal cases, Hood's Sarsaparilla so thoroughly renovates the blood and restores strength that it permanently cures.

In fact, because of the character of the disease, and peculiar merit of the remedy, Hood's Sarsaparilla is the only common sense treatment for catarrh.

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Promises to cure and keeps the promise. No substitute for Hood's acts like Hood's—be sure to get Hood's.

REDUCED RATES

Northwest, West, South and Southeast, via Pennsylvania Lines.

The sale of special fare colonists tickets to California, and settlers' tickets to the Northwest, West, South and Southeast has been reeumed via Pennsylvania Lines. Particular information about fares, through time and other details will be furnished upon application. Please call on or address

F. M. EAKIN,
Ticket Ag't.

THE BEST REMEDY FOR RHEUMATISM.

Quick Relief From Pain.

All who use Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism are delighted with the quick relief from pain which it affords. When speaking of this Mr. D. N. Sinks, of Troy, Ohio, says: "Some time ago, I had a severe attack of rheumatism in my arm and shoulder. I tried numerous remedies but got no relief until I was recommended by Messrs. Geo. F. Parsons & Co., druggists of this place, to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. They recommended it so highly that I bought a bottle. I was soon relieved of all pain. I have since recommended this liniment to many of my friends, who agree with me that it is the best remedy for muscular rheumatism in the market." For sale by all druggists.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS EXCURSION

To Muncie, Indiana, on Sunday, April 28th, 1901, via the Lake Erie & Western R. R. Co. Special train will leave Lima at 7 a. m.

Only $1.00 for round trop. Knights will be present from all cities in Indiana. Competitive drills, etc.

Don't fail to go and participate.

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A RAGING, ROARING FLOOD

Washed down a telegraph line which Chas. C. Ellis, of Lisbon, Ia., had to repair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "gave me a terrible cold and cough. It grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors in Oakland, Neb., Sioux City and Omaha said I had Consumption and could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholy cured by six bottles." Positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung troubles by H. F. Vortkamp. Price 50 cents and $1.00.

SUNDAY EXCURSION T OCOLUMBUS.

$1.00 to Columbus and return, Sunday, April 28th, via the T. & O. C. Ry. Special train will leave Wapakoneta at 7:17 a. m., arriving at Columbus at 10:25 a. m.

Return, special train will leave Columbus at 6:00 p. m. For further particulars call on agent of T. & O. C. Ry. tu&fl wkly—d62-tu-th-sat

CAUGHT A DREADFUL SOLD.

Marion Kooke, manager for T. M. Thompson, a large importer of fine millinery at 1658 Milwaukee avenue, Chicago, says: "During the late severe weather I caught a dreadful cold which kept me awake at night and made me unfit to attend my work during the day. One of my milliners was taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a severe cold at that time, which seemed to relieve her so quickly that I bought some for myself. It acted like magic and I began to improve at once. I am now entirely well and feel very pleased to acknowledge its merits." For sale by all druggists.

In other words, the administration is satisfied that Loomis didn't do it and that he will not do it again.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

FELL

Headlong Into the Cistern.

A Board Broke

And Let the Infant Into the Water.

A Narrow Escape of Bert Linderman's Child from Drowning.

Odd Fellows at Cridersville Addressed by Rev. Clarence Mitchell—South Side People to be Given Farewell

Yesterday morning the four year old girl of Bert Linderman, of First street, had a narrow escape from death by drowning. The child was playing near a cistern, when in walking over the top a board gave way, the infant being plunged head first into the water. Its mother hurried to the scene but upon seeing the perilous position of her child, became so agitated as to be unable to rescue it. Her cries of alarm brought neighbors, who finally succeeded in getting the child out just in time, as a few moments more would undoubtedly have terminated fatally.

Relatives and friends in south Lima, were visited last night by Miss Winnefred Black, of Ada, who was here in attendance at the entertainment at Lima college.

Being entertained by their aunt, Mrs. McCray, of south Main street, Misses Iva and Etta Rotunk, have returned to their home at Ada.

Illness consequent is the infirmities of advanced age seriously afflict Mrs. Finney, the venerable mother of Mrs. Welker, of St. Johns avenue.

Last night Roy Linderman, residing with his parents on Reese avenue, upset the boiling contents of a coffee pot upon his hands, blistering them painfully. He will be unable to use his right hand freely for some time.

It will be gratifying to his friends to know that John Littler, of Jacobs avenue, who suffered an acute attack of heart trouble while attending the Odd Fellow meeting at Piqua, Thursday night, is much improved. On the train coming home he was attended by Dr. Shaffer, of Cridersville.

Having attended a state meeting of physicians at Dayton, Dr. Bowsher, of south Main street, is home again. The doctor reports a very pleasant and profitable time.

After several days severe sickness, Mr. Rummel, of Madison avenue, is able to be around again.

Tonight J. R. Rakestraw will leave for Cincinnati, where he will remain several days engaged on business.

This morning Miss Monroe, of Degraff, assumed her duties as trimmer at Mrs. W. M. Duckworth's, on south Main street.

The Cridersville lodge of Odd Fellows observed in an appropriate manner last night, the eighty-second anniversary of the founding of the order. Rev. Mitchell, pastor of the south Lima Christian church, delivered the annual address. A well received musical program followed by a royal banquet concluded the happy affair. The Cridersville lodge and Rebekahs have grown phenominally within the past few months, the former now numbering one hundred members, the latter sixty. Rev. Mitchell considers it an almost perfect organization.

Sunday will be spent by Mrs. J. R. Smith, of south Pine street, with friends at Voughnsville.

This afternoon Andrew Van Diver, of Dayton, who has been visiting at John Mack's home on south Central avenue, left for his home at Dayton.

Concluding a several day's visit with Mrs. M. Wingate, of south Central avenue, Mesdames Andrews, of Kenton, and Young, of Beaver Dam, have returned to their respective homes.

Tomorrow afternoon Rev. Mitchell will deliver the anniversary address before the Odd Fellows lodge at St. Johns, Ohio.

This afternoon Mrs. Frenell, of west Kibby street, left for a brief visit to Chicago.

Tomorrow the south Lima Baptist church services will be as follows: Sunday school at 9:15; preaching at 10:30; B. Y. P. U. at 6 p. m.; preaching at 7:30.

Mrs. Emma Van Horn will lead the B. Y. P. U. meeting.

After a prolonged illness, Miss Claude Kever, of south Pierce street, is improving nicely.

Sickness confines G. J. Griffin to his home on Broadway.

Auditor James Bastable, of Hardin county, has returned to his home at Kenton, after a brief business visit here.

At the south Main street Presbyterian church tomorrow Rev. W. E. Hall, of Dayton, will conduct services.

This morning Thomas Martin, of east Vine street, became suddenly ill. His suffering was excruciating before relieved by a physician. His many friends hope for an early recovery.

Last night Mrs. James Huffman returned from a two weeks' visit with her mother at Bryant, Ind.

Finishing a visit with south side relatives Mrs. C. E. Smith returned to her home in Indiana this morning.

Having been the guests of his parents in south Lima, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cassey have returned to their home at Fremont.

Today Mrs. John McFaden went to Fostoria, where she will spend Sunday with her husband.

The hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ward's home on Hughes avenue is being enjoyed by Mrs. Young, of Van Wert.

One of Cridersville's citizens, Thomas Dodson, was engaged in a business visit on the south side today.

The family of William Jackson, all of whom have been confined to the house by illness, are convalescent.

Rebekahs and Odd Fellows of south Lima are making arrangements for a grand farewell to be given in honor of James Smith and wife, also Mr. and Mrs. Cowels, who will remove next week to Welker, where they will reside.

No matter what the weather man says, it is always fare with the street car conductor.

Erve Beck got a good start with the Cleveland ball club, even if he was in a losing game.

The Toledo ball club has not lost one league game this season.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and perseverance in its use will work wonders for the most hopeless woman. If Mrs. Newton, whose letter is given below, had not persisted in its use, she might never have known the happiness of perfect health. Perhaps the reason for her persistence was because she used "Favorite Prescription" as a "last resort." Physicians had failed. If "Favorite Prescription" could not help there was nothing to hope for. It did help. It always helps and almost always cures. It establishes regularity, dries weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It imparts strength and elasticity to the organs of maternity and makes the baby's advent practically painless.

"When I consulted you in April, 1899, I was in poor health," writes Mrs. E. H. Newton, of Vanburen, Aroostook Co., Maine. "Had been sick all winter, and, to add to my trouble, was on the road to maternity, which the doctor said would end my days. I was almost discouraged; did not expect any help, but thought the end was only a matter of time, and—oh! my two poor, little, motherless children.

"It was in this condition that I began the use of your valuable medicine. On receipt of your letter of April 6th my husband purchased six bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and I used it as you directed. When you wrote me words of encouragement on April 27th I had received no benefit from the medicine, but determined as a last resort to give it a fair trial. I am now taking the thirteenth and last bottle. I have a lovely baby girl three weeks old, that weighed 11½ pounds at birth. My baby and I are enjoying perfect health, thanks to your wonderful medicine, to which I believe I owe my life."

Dr. Pierce's Pellets stimulate the liver.

Dr. Humphreys'

Specifies cure by acting directly upon the disease, without exciting disorder in any other part of the system.

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13	Croup, Laryngitis, Hoarseness	.25
14	Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Eruptions	.25
15	Rheumatism, Rheumatic Pains	.25
16	Malaria, Chills, Fever and Ague	.25
19	Catarrh, Influenza, Cold in the Head	.25
20	Whooping-Cough	.25
27	Kidney Diseases	.25
28	Nervous Debility	1.00
30	Urinary Weakness, Wetting Bed	.25
77	Grip, Hay Fever	.25

Dr. Humphreys' Manual of all Diseases at your Druggists or Mailed Free.

Sold by druggists, or sent on receipt of price. Humphreys' Med. Co., Cor. William & John Sts., New York.

CALVIN S. BRICE

The Talk of the Town.

Nothing Like it Ever Before Known.

William Tigner Has Scored a Great Triumph

By Placing on the Market a Five Cent Cigar Worthy the Memory of Lamented Statesman.

William Tigner has recently placed on the market a new brand of cigars, the Calvin S. Brice, that has already become very popular and is destined to make a great hit with all lovers of a good smoke. "Tobacco" the leading trade journal gives it the following very meritorious notice:

"The name of Calvin S. Brice, statesman and philanthropist, stands high upon the roll of Ohio's distinguished sons, and in the city of Lima, where he was born, his memory is cherished as one of their most valued traditions.

"It is therefore eminently fitting that Wm. Tigner, the well-known cigar manufacturer and jobber of that city should name his latest brand of cigars in honor of Lima's most famous son.

"Senator Brice was a man of the people and the cigar which bears his name is one which it is intended shall appeal to that great mass of the that appreciate a really good five-cent cigar. Mr. Tigner says that the Calvin S. Brice is one of the few five-cent cigars that really contain Havana tobacco, and he considers it one of the finest pieces of goods of its class that has ever been produced. He further states that it is strictly hand made and is in every way good value for the money.

The cigar will be made in two sizes, 4½ inches and 4⅝ inches, perfecto shape.

This design has been duly registered and copyrighted by Wm. Tigner, who also claims the exclusive right to the use of the title Calvin S. Brice for a brand of cigars, and he is given due notice to the trade that any infringment upon his rights will be promptly and vigorously prosecuted."

This cigar has been placed with nearly all the leading dealers in cigars and has sprung immediately into general favor. If you want a first class smoke for a nickle, try the Calvin S. Brice.

WHAT

He Wants Most of All is an Editor,

Says General Sherwood Who Says He Will Not be Candidate for Lieut. Governor.

General I. R. Sherwood, editor of the American Sportsman, published at Cleveland, dropped into Fremont from his home in Toledo yesterday and in an interview he is quoted by the Fremont Messenger as follows:

"When informed that his name was being mentioned in many sections in connection with the nomination for lieutenant governor, he most emphatically declared that under no consideration would he accept a nomination. He said he was not a candidate for any office, his entire time being occupied with business matters, and though he will assist his party in the advancement of its cause, in which his heart is always engaged, he cannot afford nor does he desire to be named for any position or office whatever.

"He feels well assured that the great Democratic party of Ohio will win a signal victory this fall, and is highly elated over the outlook. With prudence and united effort he says we are sure to succeed, and he sees in the future the most perfect harmony, the fore-runner of party supremacy.

"He thinks that at present Col. Kilbourn has the pole for governor, but what change may occur in the future is hard to tell.

"Just now what the general wants worse than all else is an editor for his horse paper, his old editor having been offered a big advance in salary by another paper, which he very naturally accepted, leaving the general to attend to the whole business alone, which is too much for him at his time of life. Horsemen, capable of taking successful editorial charge of such a paper as his are very scarce, indeed, and he may have trouble in securing one."

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

STOMACHS THAT WON'T WORK

That Retain the Food and Refuse to Digest it, Make the Head Heavy and the Nerves Weak.—Need Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

There is a cure for dyspepsia. Sufferers who have tried noxious nostrums will probably be skeptical but skepticism vanishes when Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are tried. Whether the trouble is dyspepsia of long standing, or merely a simple case of indigestion, relief is prompt and pronounced. The less the trouble the fewer tablets need be taken.

Heaviness after eating, sour stomach, as indicated by belching, fatigue with slight exertion, or with no exertion at all, disturbed sleep, nervousness, constipation, depression, "blues," these things can commonly be set down as symptoms of dyspepsia. And dyspepsia is merely indigestion in an aggravated form.

By promoting perfect digestion, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets produces strong nerves, restful, refreshing sleep, pure blood and good sound flesh. They make the skin clear, the eyes bright, the mind cheerful.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are a a medicine. They digest the food and make it easy of assimilation, and they relieve the inflamed, diseased condition of the membraneous linings and the glands of the stomach and bowels. They help the digestive organs over the hard places, and put them into healthy, active condition. They effect a quick and permanent cure. You don't have to continue taking them forever, still it is well to have a box handy and take one at the first return of the trouble.

Perfectly well people are made sick by eating too much, or unwholesome food, but not if they take a tablet after eating. Treatment with Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets does not necessitate dieting or any change of habits. They digest the proper food and act upon the other kind in such a way as to make it pass off quickly and harmlessly. You may eat and drink what you like, when you like, and as much as you like if you take a tablet afterwards.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by all druggists at 50 cents for full size package.

Send to F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich., for little book on stomach diseases, mailed free.

A Cincinnati man is being sued for divorce by his wife, who charges that he beat her with a red hot poker. From first glance it would seem that her request ought to be granted—an unheated poker would have served its end just as well.

While Henry Stone, living at Inglefield, Ind., was praying in church last Sunday afternoon, he fell dead. The coroner said death was caused from heart disease, brought on by excitement. Stone was sixty-five years old.

ALLEN COUNTY BIBLE SOCIETY

Auxiliary to American Bible Society will meet with called meeting of the Pastors' Union in Y. M. C. A. building, Lima, April 29th, 1901, at 10 a. m. for the election of officers for the coming year. All persons holding life membership certificates are requested to be present. D. LEPLEY, Pres.

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TIS EASY TO FEEL GOOD.

Countless thousands have found a blessing to the body in Dr. Kink's New Life Pills, which positively cure Constipation, Sick Headache, Dizziness, Jaundice, Malaria, Fever and Ague and all Liver and Stomach troubles. Purely vegetable; never gripe or weaken. Only 25 cents at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store.

35TH ANNUAL STATE ENCAMPMENT, G. A. R.

BELLEFONTAINE, O.

For the above occasion agents of Ohio Central Lines will sell excursion tickets to Bellefontaine, O., and return at One Cent per mile each way, from all stations in Ohio.

Tickets will be on sale May 6, 7 and 8, good returning until May 10th.

For further particulars call on agents of Ohio Central Lines.

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GIVEN UP TO DIE WITH CROUP.

Mrs. P. L. Cordier of Mannington, Ky., writes:

"My three year old girl had a severe case of croup, the doctor said she could not live and I gave her up to die. I went to the store and got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar, the first dose gave quick relief and saved her life."

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Youthful Color. Cures scalp diseases & hair falling. 50c, and $1.00 at Druggists

DR. FENNER'S
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Cough Honey.

For Coughs, Colds, Grip, or "Cold" in ANY PART of body.

COLMAN, Mich., Sept. 27, 1900. For a whole year I could do no work and walked only by holding on to a chair. I doctored with four different physicians but received no relief. The use of two bottles of Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure gave me a perfect cure. J. M. McKINNEY.

Kidney and Backache CURE.

GENEVA, Crawford Co., Pa., June 13, 1900. Three years ago I had a severe attack of Erysipelas and blood poison, breaking out on my head and face. My physician attended me for several months without result. I then took 3 bottles of Dr. Fenner's Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve Tonic and secured a complete cure. FRANK BARKMAN.

Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve Tonic

Great Blood Cleansing Remedy for Spring. Headaches, Constipation, "Tired," Nervous.

MIDDLEBORO, Ky., Sept. 7, 1900. My wife has suffered long with dyspepsia. I tried all of the pepsin preparations and all of my own prescriptions without avail. I finally prescribed Dr. Fenner's Dyspepsia Cure and the use of it effected a cure. Many other similar cases that have come under my observation have been cured by his Dyspepsia Cure. Dr. F. J. LEBANGOOD.

Dyspepsia Cure

My Dear Dr. Fenner, Fredonia, N. Y. I have used Dr. Fenner's Golden Relief for many years for the diseases and accidents for which it is advertised and have found it fully equal to all you claim for it. J. BOYD ESPY, Presiding Elder M. E. Church.

Golden Relief

Used for Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Old Sores, Sprains, Colds, Grip, Sore Throat, Colic, Dysentery, Bowel Troubles, it is unfailing.

St. Vitus' Dance

Akron, Ohio, Jan. 3, 1900. Dr. E. M. FENNER, Fredonia, N. Y. "We have sold many dozens of your St. Vitus' Dance Specific and every case has been cured by it. It has proved a blessing here." ALLEN-CLARK DRUG CO.

Ask your druggist for Almanac for 1901 containing descriptions of the Remedies and Certificates of the most remarkable cures ever achieved by medicine.

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There are now 175,000 children of school age in Cuba, and 132,000 of them are at school. There are 1,000 school houses in daily use.

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The first straw hat of the season moved down St. Clair street yesterday afternoon, and to make the illusion that spring "had came" complete, a duster went with it.

Our Linoleums

Are 6 feet wide and 12 feet wide. Can't wet them, can't wear them out. Just right for kitchen and bath room. Prices from

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WALL PAPER!

Oh, how cheap, all new and up to date patterns. Do not let them fool you this year as Ogden's prices take. We will sell you paper cheaper than you can buy it where it is made. It must be sold at once.

R. E. OGDEN,

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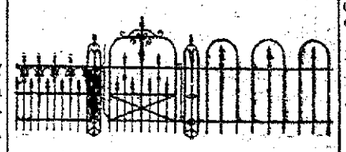

Iron and wire fencing for all purposes. Tree guards and hitch posts. Also iron chairs, settees, vases etc., for the lawn or cemetery lot.

Please write for particulars and prices.

W. ROCKEY,

Postoffice box 103, Lima, O.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received for the erection and construction of a church by the building committee of Epworth M. E. church, Lima, Ohio, in accordance with the plans and specifications on file at the office of Leech & Leech, architects, Lima, Ohio, until 6 o'clock p. m. on

Monday, May 6, 1901.

Each proposal must contain the names of every person interested in the same. The successful bidder will be required to give a satisfactory bond in the sum of the full amount of the contract price.

All proposals must be made on blanks furnished by the architects and submitted in a sealed envelope addressed to the "secretary of the building committee" and marked "Proposal for the erection of a church."

Plans and specifications may be seen at any time at the office of Leech & Leech, architects, Lima, Ohio. The building committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and provide that one person, or more persons, jointly will take the entire contract.

By order of the building committee.

J. F. CORDREY, Secy.

April 22, 1901. Lima, Ohio.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 8941.

Ex. Doc. 9. Page 278.

Ferman Ely, plaintiff

vs.

Willis Knoop, defendant.

Allen Common Pleas

By virtue of a vendi exponas issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in said Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, May 25th, A. D., 1901,

between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in the village of Conant, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to wit:

Lot number four (4) in the village of Conant, Allen county, Ohio.

Appraised at $150.00. Terms of sale, cash.

E. A. BOGART,
Sheriff, Allen County, O.

Lima, Ohio, April 16, 1901.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of William Bice, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executors of the estate of William Bice, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 17th day of April, A. D. 1901.

TABITHA BICE.
ANDREW W. BICE.
Executors.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executrix of the estate of Frederick Wiesenmeyer late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 17th day of April A. D. 1901.

EVA K. WIESENMEYER.
Executrix.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Catherine Murphy deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executrix of the estate of Catherine Murphy, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 17th day of April A. A. 1901.

ELLEN MURPHY, Executrix.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Louise Taylor, whose place of residence is number 5058 Armour avenue, Chicago, Illinois, will take notice that on the 16th day of April, 1901, Charles A. Taylor filed in the court of Common Pleas, Allen county, Ohio, his petition against her in case number 10637, praying that he may be divorced from her.

Said Louise Taylor is required to answer on or before the 20th day of May, or decree will be taken against her.

CHARLES A. TAYLOR.
Motter, Mackenzie and Weadock,
apl 11-6w. Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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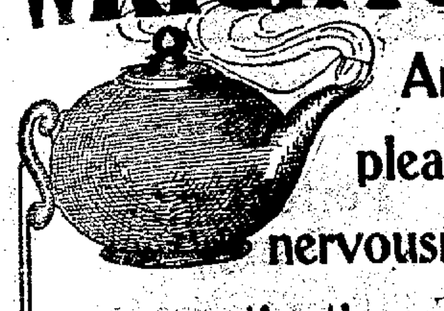

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We have just received a lot of EARLY OHIO and ROSE potatoes. Call in and see them.

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We have 50 cases canned corn, making very low prices on:

1 case 2 dozen $1.50. 1 dozen for 80c. Less than dozen 7c can.

No better goods on the market. Call and get some of them before they are all gone.

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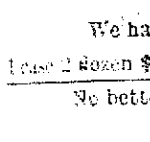

They overcome Weakness, irregularity and omissions, increase vigor and banish "pains of menstruation." They are "LIFE SAVERS" to girls at womanhood, aiding development of organs and body. No known remedy for women equals them. Cannot do harm—life becomes a pleasure. $1.00 PER BOX BY MAIL. Sold by druggists. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., Cleveland, Ohio

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Will cure rheumatism in all stages and conditions. 5 bottles will cure any case you can produce. Greatest blood purifier known. Trusler's Pile Cure is sold under a guarantee, for sale by all druggist. Manufactured by the T. Rheumatic Cure Co., Hamilton, Ind.

For sale by Melville Bros. and T. N. Cunningham.

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AT 6 TO 5% FROM ONE TO TEN YEARS, in sums of $300 and upward, on FARM LANDS or LIMA CITY PROPERTY. Privilege of paying $100, or any multiple thereof, at any interest day. LOANS MADE AT ONCE.

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Our piano tuner, Mr. C. F. Woolery, has been employed by us for a period of more than nine years, so that we feel safe in recommending him as a competent workman. Orders left at Beeler & Van Gunten's Music Store, 21 Public Square, will receive prompt attention.

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LIMA

Man and Liquid Air Discoveries.

Scolarly Talk

By Prof. W. L. Hardin On the Subject,

Delivered Before the Twilight Club at Pasadena, California.

Liquid Air Valuable in the Manufacture of Explosives, As a Disinfectant and As a Bleaching Agent.

Prof. Willett a member of the faculty of the University of Pennsylvania, chemist for the King Soloman Mining Co., and son of the late John Hardin, of west Market street, this city, is now in California in company with his mother, who is still a resident of this city. At Pasadena, Cal., recently, he delivered an address before the Twilight club of that city on the subject of liquid air and concerning his address the Pasadena Daily Star says:

"The talk on this subject by Prof. Hardin was of surpassing interest. The speaker talked in an easy, conversational tone, and showed how liquid aid is the result of the investigations of scientific men for a century or more, and the newspaper articles alluding to Tripler and others as "wizards" of the art of manufacturing liquid air are deceiving. Mr. Hardin with his blackboard and chalk went back 100 years and showed what instruments were used in an endeavor to liquify gases, which is now "easy." There are two methods, and scientists have recognized it for some time, the only thing necessary being how either one of the two processes could be made to work perfectly. These two methods of liquifying air are to increase the pressure or to reduce the temperature.

"Of the two methods the latter is the easier, though a combination of both is used in practical operation. In 1869 it was found that there is a temperature at which all gasses become liquids. In 1877 air and oxygen were liquified by two methods and at practically the same time In 1883 air was first liquified in large quantities; and in 1893 it could be produced at $2500 a quart. Now it is claimed that it can be produced at 2 or 3 cents a gallon.

"Now we have it, what are we going to do with it? That was the question which opened up an interesting line of thought and was followed up in the discussion succeeding the address. It opens up a new world in science and in physiological action, though disease germs have lived and flourished even at the extreme degree of cold which produces liquid air, over 400 degrees below zero. Mr. Hardin thinks its value as a motive power is only problematical because of the cost of producing it in comparison with steam and the fact that the great cold creates conditions that are hard to deal with. Being so rich in oxygen, it will be a splendid means of ventilating large halls. A few gallons of it thrown on the floor of a large hall which has been crowded with people at once puts it in a good hygenic condition.

Liquid oxygen will be very important, probably, in the manufacture of explosives, as a bleaching agent, as a disinfectant, and in aging wines and other liquors. By it wine can be given the bouquet which it takes years to obtain by the usual method; and a strong stogie can be transformed into a mild Havana cigar. So in the mind of the speaker the liquidation of oxygen will probably be more of a commercial agent than will air. The manufacture of ozone will probably be one of the greatest uses to which it will be put."

HE KEPT HIS LEG.

Twelve years ago, J. W. Sullivan, of Hartford, Conn., scratched his leg with a rusty wire. Inflammation and blood poisoning set in. For two years he suffered intensely. Then the best doctors urged amputation. "but," he writes, "I used one bottle of Electric Bitters and 1½ boxes of Bucklen's Arnica salve and my leg was sound and well as ever." For Eruptions, Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Sores and all blood disorders Electric Bitters has no rival on earth. Try them. H. F. Vortkamp will guarantee satisfaction or refund money. Only 50 cents.

Now in one voice: "What's the score?"

TOPICS

For Divine Services Tomorrow

Where the Day of Rest is Observed.

Hours at Which Religious Services Will be Held in the City. Interesting Sermons are Promised.

West Market Presbyterian Church.

Corner west Market and West streets; Robert J. Thomson, D. D., pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. by Rev. A. C. Peters, D. D., president of Heidelberg University. At 7:30 p. m. the congregation will join in the service in the interest of the library at Trinity church. Sunday school at 9:15. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m. A welcome to all.

First Congregational Church

South Elizabeth near Market. The ladies' quartet will sing, "Then Shall the Righteous Shine." Bible school at 11:15 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. The congregation will join in the Union service on behalf of a public library at Trinity M. E. at 7:30 p. m. All seats free at all services. Strangers cordially welcomed. I. J. Swanson, pastor.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

Corner west North and Elizabeth streets; Rev. F. P. Bossart, pastor. Services at 10:15 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. C. Kunzman, superintendent Home Missions of the General Council will preach in the morning. The pastor will preach in the evening; subject, "A Fixed Heart." Sunday school at 9 a. m. Junior League at 3 and Luther League at 6:45 p. m. Council meeting Monday evening at 7:30. The seats are free and all are welcome.

German Reformed Church

West Wayne street. Sunday school promptly at 9 a. m.; Miss Zurfluh, a missionary to Japan, will address the school. Regular services at 10 o'clock; sermon by Prof. A. S. Zerbe, Ph. D., of Heidelberg University. In the evening we will join the English Reformed congregation. Ladies' Aid Society meets next Wednesday afternoon at Mrs. Charles Neubrecht's on south Pine street. The social arranged for by the ladies' society will be held next Tuesday evening. All are invited. Paul H. Land, pastor.

Calvary Reformed Church.

High street and Park avenue. Sunday school at 9:15. Communion service at 10:30; sermon by Dr. J. H. Steel. Young People's rally at 2:30; addresses by Dr. Wettach and Revs. Smith and Hoffman. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30. At 7:30 the subject is "Missions." Miss Lena Zurfluh, a returned missionary from Japan, will address the meeting, and Rev. A. H. Zechiel will speak on the "Home Work." The ladies will conduct the business meeting on Monday at 10:30 and 2:00 in the Reformed church on Wayne street. All are invited to all the services. A. D. Wolfinger, pastor.

Spring Street Lutheran Church.

Corner of west Spring and Pierce streets. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Worship and sermon at 10:30 a. m.; Rev. A. E. Baichley, D. D., of Tiffin, a member of the Reformed classis, will preach. No service in the evening on account of the union meeting in the Trinity M. E. church in the interest of a public library. Junior Endeavor at 2 and Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. All welcome. I. J. Miller, pastor.

Main St. Presbyterian Church

W. G. Smith, pastor. Sabbath school at 9:30. Rev. W. E. Hall, of Dayton, will preach at 10:30 and 7:30. C. E. service at 7 p. m. Prayer service on Wednesday evening at 7:30. We bespeak a large attendance for Bro. Hall.

West Wayne St. Church of Christ.

W. A. Brundige, pastor. Bible school at 9:15; H. Tracy, Supt. Sermon at 10:30; theme, "The Cross the Center of Power." Sermon at 7:30 to be announced in the morning service. Junior C. E. at 3 and Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:15. Ladies' Aid Society Tuesday afternoon in Endeavor rooms. Prayer meeting Thursday night. All are welcome.

Christian Catholic Church.

Salvation, healing, and holy living. Services at Zion tabernacle, on south Main street, every Lord's day at 9:30, 10:30, 3:30 and 7. Subject at 2:30, "The Old Time Gospel; Salvation for Spirit, Soul and Body." S. Moot, the elder in charge.

First Baptist Church.

Pastor will preach at 10:30 and 7:30. Morning theme, "A Lesson of Warning." Sunday school at 9:15. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30. Evening service will be evangelistic in sermon and song. Bright songs, and a short, pointed sermon on a vital theme. All welcome, especially strangers. J. H. Deere, pastor.

Trinity M. E. Church.

The classes will meet at 9 a. m. Worship and sermon at 10:30; Dr. E. D. Wittach, of Toledo, will preach. Sunday school at 11:30; J. U. Heiniger, Supt. Junior League 3 and Epworth devotional meeting at 6:30. At 7:30 S. L. Wicoff, of Sidney, will deliver an address in the interest of a public library in Lima.

Union Street Lutheran Church.

Sunday school at 9:15. Morning services (German and English) at 10:15. Luther League at 6:45. The evening service at 7:30. A cordial invitation to all. Carl Ackermann, pastor.

U. B. Church.

Corner of Spring and Union streets. Sunday school at 9. Rev. L. C. Kline will preach at 10:15, and Revs. W. A. Coulter and Stickney will conduct the services at 7:30. Junior Y. P. C. U. at 2. Y. P. C. U. at 6:30. Ladies' Aid Society Thursday at 2. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30.

Christ Church (Protestant Episcopal).

North and West streets; Rev. G. F. G. Hoyt, rector. Holy communion at 7:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30; evening prayer and sermon at 7. At the morning service, "What should be our aim in Sunday school work?" Seats free. All welcome.

South Side Church of Christ.

Corner of Central avenue and Kibby street; Rev. Clarence Mitchell, pastor. Special services morning and evening. Morning service at 10:30; evening at 7:30. Sunday school at 9. Junior Endeavor at 2:30 and Senior Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Choir practice every Tuesday evening at 7:30. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7:30. Special music both morning and evening.

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Why wouldn't it be a good idea for the Pulman porters and hotel waiters to begin establishing libraries over this broad land so as to avoid the disgrace and necessity of dying rich?

THE STAGE.

Tonight—The Fenberg Co., in "The Brand of Cain."
Thursday—Hi Henry's Big Minstrels.

Hi Henry's Bran New Minstrels.

Hi Henry's big progressive minstrels will appear at Faurot's opera house on Thursday, May 2, and from the success that attended their engagement last season, a good performance is promised, also a bran new program of the latest New York successes. It will be remembered that last year Mr. Henry's company gave a performance that compared with any of the large minstrel organizations and many pronounced it even more enjoyable. Among the new additions and more prominent features of the performance are the premier comedians, C. Jack Harrington and Frank Mitchell, Corrigan and Dove, Herr Probst, T. Harry Belknap, Mitchell and Gates, Joe Yvons, The Wonderful Coutures. That a very good performance will be given is assured. Their first part this season is bran new and entitled the Batchellors Club, this is said to be the most elaborate ever put upon any minstrel stage.

The Fenberg Stock company close their week's engagement tonight with the production of the sensational drama, "The Brand of Cain." This company has had a wonderfuly successful week. Not so wonderful either, when the merit of their performances is considered. Their plays have been well chosen, the company in general and Miss Standish in particular, exceedingly capable, and the specialties bright and clever. Manager Fenberg is sure of a rousing welcome whenever he chooses to visit Lima.

Miss New York Jr., one of the crack burlesques on the road, is underlined for next week.

The country has always an eager eye for the announcement of a Sousa concert, and never fails to respond with a ready purse. With the present announcement that Sousa and his band are coming for a concert goes the assurance that the public will be out in full force and make the most of the opportunity to enjoy whatever novelties the "March King" may put before them. Sousa's band must be in the very pink of condition when a foreign paper, the Schwebischer Merkur, Stuttgart, Germany, feels called upon to say:

"The performance of Sousa's band are distinguished by extraordinary technique, supurb precision and unison. Some of the tone effects possess indescribable charm. All the performances show dynamic vivacity, rhythmical precision, and a model accuracy of attack and a satisfying smoothness in the full range from the finest pianissimo to the most majestic forte, such as only a band of this size, with the extreme quality of its forces is in a position to develop."—Schwaebischer Merkur, Stuttgart, Germany.

Similar press admissions were made all over Europe. The soloists with Sousa this season are Miss Blanche Duffield, soprano, and Miss Bertha Bucklin, violinist.

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And a Charge

Not to Violate the Law Was Added.

Saloon ists Who Were Indicte d Were Each Fined $ 25 and Costs,

But the Ten Days in Jail was Suspended.—Jacob Haege and Peter K ller Pleaded Not Guilty.

In response to the command of the court on the day the indicted saloon keepers appeared to give bond, they returned this afternoon and in the presence of a large number of interested spectators, were arraigned. With out a single instance those whose names have previously been published waived the reading of the indictment and pleaded guilty to the charge contained therein.

There were some minutes of suspense, but their nerves were soon quieted when Mine Host Goldsmith, who was the first to face the court was assessed a fine of $25 and costs and had the additional ten days sentence in jail remitted. The court stated that the confinement provided by the law would be suspended pending the strict observance on the part of the offenders to the statute which governs the selling of liquor on Sunday and which makes it a crime to permit gambling to be conducted on the premises.

Through their respective attorneys the other salonists entered the same plea and the sentence of the court remained the same in each case. The saloonists considered themselves fortunate, but as there is a jail sentence hanging over their heads unless the strict letter of the law is obeyed, the result intended by those who espoused the cause of the law, has been fully accomplished.

Now For the Verdict.

The attorneys concluded their argument in the damage suit of Elijah Bowsher vs. Gus Kalb this morning, and the charge of the court was delivered in time to have the jury retire for deliberation at 1:30 o'clock.

Real Estate Transfers.

David B. Denman to Hannah Frisinger, inlot 61 in Holmes 3d addition, $1,000.

Amos Young and wife to Jennie Darst, lot 3789 in Lima, $200.

SEVEN

Out of Ten Prizes Captured By Van Wert.

The Van Wert Gun Club secured a large per cent. of the honors in the tournament at Spencerville Thursday, and carried off a majority of the valuable prizes. There were representatives present from Delphos, Wapakoneta, Van Wert, Mendon, Columbus Grove and this city.

Spencerville sort of evened up by winning the team shoot against Van Wert, but the contest was in doubt until the very last. The records made by the members of the two teams were as follows:

Spencerville.

Brown	46
Post	42
Bayman	41
A. N. Bailey	40
J. N. Bailey	40
Wm. Bailey	37
Wolford	35
Total	281

Van Wert.

Bickford	43
McDonald	43
Stiggers	42
Collins	37
Johnston	35
Price	3
Allen	32
Total	265

The third event of the series will be held at Van Wert, but the date has not yet been announced.

April Records Broken.

Cincinnati, Apl. 27.—The present flood, which is practically over, broke the April record for April floods that have visited this city in the last forty years.

CLASSIS

Of the Tiffin District in Session at Lima.

Meetings Being Held in Calvary Reformed Church

And a Good Representation of Members Promises Splendid Results—A Bit of History.

Tiffin classis opened its session last evening in Calvary Reformed church. A thoughtful discourse was delivered by Dr. Van Horn, from the text, John 16:33. The formal organization followed and resulted in the election of Dr. A. E. Baichley, of Tiffin, president. A large portion of the members were present and more arrived this morning. The morning session was devoted to business. At 7:30 this evening, the subject of "Higher Education" will be discussed by Dr. S. C. Goss, who will speak on the "University" and Dr. A. E. Baichley will speak on the "Seminary."

This is the first time the classis met in the church at the present location. The pastor and people look for good results from the inspiration which the meeting will give to the work. The work of Calvary church is more promising than for some years.

The Reformed church is the church of the martyrs, originated in glorious old Zwitzerland, in 1516, when the Christian patriot Ulric Zwingli began to sound the note of evanglical protestantism. One of the two oldest protestant churches, she has ever stood for righteousness, liberty and a vital Christian life. Persecution drove thousands of her people to the new world early in the 17th century. These organized the "German Reformed Church" and as her people became English speaking, the word German was dropped and "the Reformed church in the United States" adopted as the title. Her doctrinal position is thoroughly evangelical with freedom and liberty of conscience. Those who have learned the simplicity and beauty of her church life have learned to love her.

The Weather.

Washington, April 27.—For Ohio, fair tonight and Sunday; warmer tonight in western portion.

PNEUMONIA

Adds Another Victim to Its List for the Winter.

Catherine Hughes, Widow of the Late Martin Hughes, Passed to Rest This Morning.

The sudden death of Mrs. Catherine Hughes, relict of the late Martin Hughes, occurred at 3 o'clock this morning, at her late home, 434 north Pine street. She was a victim of pneumonia, and was only taken sick yesterday, at noon. The deceased was aged about 65 years, and had been a resident of this city the greater portion of her life. To mourn her demise, are four sons, all residing at home and one daughter, a resident of Chicago. The funeral services will be held at St. Rose church Monday morning at the usual hour. Burial will occur in Gethsemani cemetery.

A FEW FACTS

About the New Catarrh Cure.

The new Catarrh Cure is a new departure in so called catarrh cures because it actually cures, and it not simply a temporary relief.

The new Catarrh Cure is not a salve, ointment, powder nor liquid, but a pleasant tasting tablet containing the best specifics for catarrh in a concentrated, convenient form.

The old style of catarrh salves and ointments are greasy, dirty and inconvenient at the best; the new preparation being in tablet form is always clean and convenient.

The new Catarrh Cure is superior to Catarrh powders because it is a notorious fact that many catarrh powders contain cocaine.

The new Catarrh Cure is called Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, a wholesome combination of blood root, beachwood tar, guaiacol and other antiseptics, and cures by its action upon the blood and mucous membrane, the only rational treatment for catarrh trouble.

You do not have to draw upon your imagination to discover whether you are getting benefit from Stuart's Catarrh Tablets; improvements and relief are apparent from the first tablet taken.

All druggists sell and recommend them. They cost but 50 cents for full sized packages, and any catarrh sufferer who has wasted time and money on sprays, salves and powders, will appreciate to the full the merit of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.

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THE IDLER.

T. J. Maple, of Lima, was here Wednesday looking after the interest of the electric road, to run between Lima and Findlay. The right of way between Lima and Beaver Dam is nearly all secured and he is now devoting his time securing territory between Beaver Dam and Mt. Cory. The road is to run on the north side and parallel to the L. E. & W. The present indications are very favorable for a good road in the near future.—Bluffton News.

This evening the Lima City band (south side) will give its first open air concert of the season at the Main street entrance to the court house, the county commissioners having granted the organization permission to render concerts at that place. The band now has between twenty and twenty-five musicians, who, under the direction of Ralph Durnbaugh, have been rehersing diligently during the winter months and the band promises to becomes one of the best.

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Rev. Clarence Mitchell came down with the brethren of Solar lodge to make a brief visit to his former home. It has been nine or ten years since he left Piqua and he found many changes both in faces and places. It was in Piqua Mr. Mitchell grew to manhood. For some time before leaving here he was engaged in newspaper work, being engaged as a reporter at different times with both the Leader and the Call. His former friends, only a few of whom he met in the short time he was here, were greatly pleased to meet him. Mr. Mitchell is now the pastor of the Church of Christ, in Lima, and has a large and growing congregation.—Piqua Leader.

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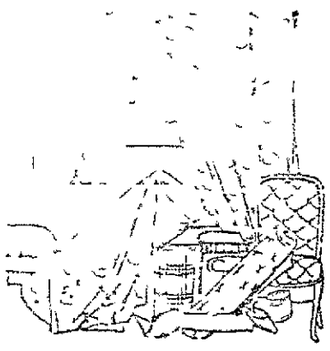

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The 20th century floor furnishings. Great assortment. Real Wiltons 9x12, $35. Real Wiltons 8-3x10-6, $28. Body Brussels 9x12, $26. Light weight Body Brussel Rugs 9x12, $22. Same 8-3x10-6, $17.50. Bigelow-Lowel High Pile Wiltons 9x12 size, $33. Same 8-5x10-6, $27. Common Axminster 9x12. $23.50. Same 8-3x10-6, $19.50. Smyrna Rugs, double faced, all sizes, from 18 inches to 9 feet by 12 feet, at lowest prices

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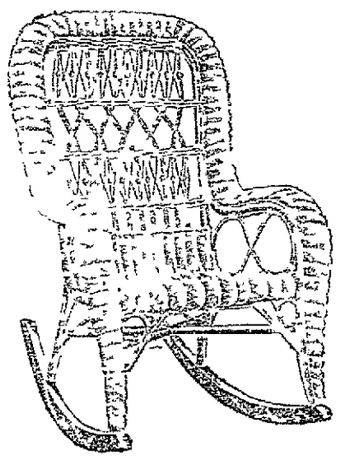

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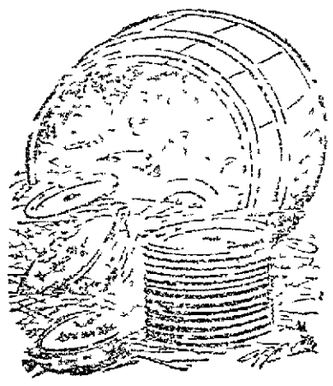

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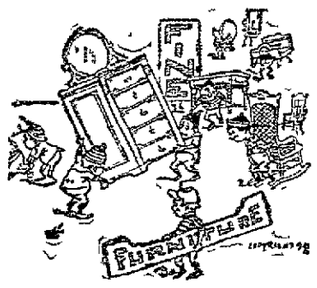

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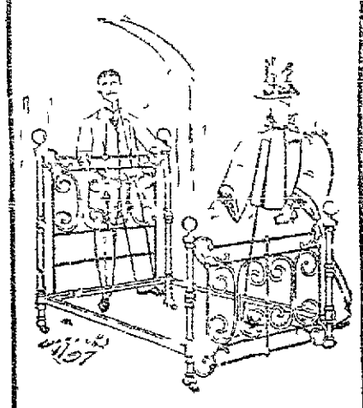

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SIDE BOARDS.

We sold 5 Side Boards one day this week and four of the customers who bought them said our SideBoards are from $3 to $15 cheaper for the same goods than other dealers ask. Look at others and then look at ours and you will say the same thing.

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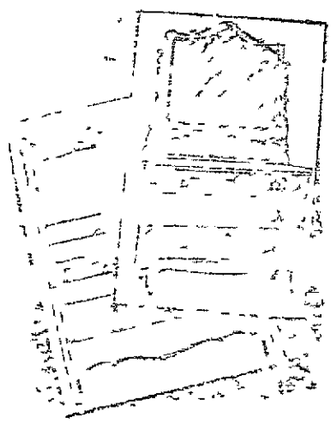

A good Bed Room Suite, natural finish, bed full size, dresser with plate glass, wash stand to match, $15.

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LOOKS

Very Much Like A. J. Ball.

Clover Leaf

Said to Have Captured the C. H. & D. Man

Old Prediction First Published in the Times May Come True.

Statement Has Been Frequently Denied But Officials Have a Habit of Doing That.

The Times Democrat a few weeks published a statement that A. J. assistant superintendent of ve power of the C. H. & D. sys. located at Cincinnati, and next in position to Superintendent C H Cory, had been invited to accept the position of superintendent of motive power with the Clover Leaf The statement in the Times Democrat was the first public notice made of the fact that Mr Ball had been tendered the position, but all that was known at that time was that he had been invited to Toledo to have a conference with President Norton

Mr Ball kept his engagement and though dispatches sent from here the matter was investigated, but as usual when railroad officials want to keep the public ignorant of its doings and undoings the report was several times officially denied The Columbus dispatch insists, however, that Mr Ball has received the appointment and that he has been assigned to territory which extends from Toledo to East St. Louis

Practically Secured.

All the right-of way for the extension of the Indiana Decatur and Western road, from Decatur to Springfield Ill, has been practically secured

The extension, which will be about 40 miles in length, will run south of the Sangamon river

The work of construction will be commenced at an early day. The L. D & W. is owned by the C. H. & D.

Notes.

Rufus Jauman, of Delphos, who was believed to have been fatally scalded in the wreck on the Clover Leaf at Marion, nine weeks, and who has been in the hospital there since that time, is on the road to recovery He was removed to his home at Delphos yesterday.

Engineer Charles Hartman of the L. E & W, has been called to Findlay on account of the serious illness of his cousin Mrs John Acker, who has been ill for some time.

Engineer S Hartsing, of the C H & D went out on the engine pulling south bound fiver No 3 yesterday afternoon, taking charge of the run that engineer Patrick Doolin and fireman McElroy lost their lives on Wednesday evening

CO. K SMOKER

A Thorough Success Enjoyed By All Present.

Last night the officers and members of Co K, Lima Home Guards turned out at the armory in full force and in full uniform to attend the first smoker held by this popular organization, and the event proved to be a delightful one that was thoroughly enjoyed by all present During the early part of the evening a drill was performed and the entire company showed up in fine form The drill was followed by the smoker, throughout which a general, good, social time was enjoyed. Clay pipes and tobacco and cigars were provided for all and sandwiches and coffee were served,

DARK

Horse from Lake Shore Road

May Win Out,

If S. R. Kramer Steps Down and Out.

There is No Official Confirmation of His Rumored Resignation,

But Bissell and Boomer are Both Spoken of as Available Men for Office of Division Superintendent.

Concerning the rumored change to be made in the office of division superintendent for the L. E. & W, in this city, which was mentioned by the Times-Democrat several days ago, the Findlay Republican says

The announcement in yesterday's Republican of the resignation of Division Superintendent Kramer from the Lake Erie and Western railway, created considerable surprise in local railway circles, yesterday and rumors are rife as to his successor It is conceded that Mr. Kramer resigned to accept a higher position, but his plans have not been made public While nothing has been authoritatively announced by the railway officials, and there is no positive assurance, yet it is not impossible that H A Boomer, superintendent of the western or Peoria division will be promoted to Mr Kramer's place and that either the superintendent of the Ft. Wayne division or E R Bissell, yard master at Lima, will take charge of the Peoria division The announcement will probably be made within a few days "

Notwithstanding the many rumors concerning Mr. Kramer's resignation, there is as yet, no official confirmation of his intention to leave the service of the L E. & W. or to vacate his present office and as he is out of the city it has been impossible to get either an authentic confirmation, or a denial of the rumors. However, the other local officials of the road, including General Yard Master Bissell, who is referred to in the above article, know nothing whatever tending to confirm any of the rumors However, if Mr. Kramer is to resign, the citizens of Lima and the employes on the Sandusky division of the road will heartily applaud the appointment of Mr Bissell, who is both capable and worthy of the office But the fact must not be forgotten that the road is now in the hands of the Lake Shore people and the history of the road since the new regime took charge reveals nothing that would indicate an intention to advance any of the officials of the L E & W, who served under Bradbury and Hill There is still another rumor that Mr Kramer will rejoin former general superintendent D S Hill in the service of the Great Northern and many believe that his successor here will come from the Lake Shore.

LOCAL NEWS

Will be Found on Pages 2 and 3.

The demands made by the merchants for advertising space in the columns of the Times-Democrat requires the placing of much of the fresh local news on pages two and three. Read the Times-Democrat through and get all the news all the time.

WANTED.

FOR SALE—A fine Shetland pony. Call at 319 north Metcalf St. 48tf

FOR SALE—A desirably located, 12 room, modern home Address—W. Care Times office. 48tf

FOR RENT—House on west North street, with all modern improvements. Inquire at O F. Kemmer's office, or write to H. H. Pletcher, Elmore, O. 49-tf

WANTED—At once a girl cook at Renze's Bakery 6-tf

PERSONAL.

Prof. Ackermann of the college, left this morning for Hamler, where he addresses the Henry County Teacher's Association today.

David Tolan, of Lima, is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. D. Ervin.—Van Wert Bulletin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thompson are at home after a several months stay in California and other western points of interest.

Mrs. Lush M. Butler and daughter Gladys, are the guests of relatives at Ada.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE® NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

Dr. Greene's Nervura Cures Children

A. O. Smith, Northfield Centre, Vt., says:

"My little daughter Eva had St. Vitus Dance with all its horrible symptoms. We and our neighbors thought her case hopeless. The most skilful physician I could get failed to help her. I commenced giving her Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. The first bottle helped her, the second made a marked improvement, and four bottles cured her. She is now the picture of health."

L. C. Reed, Hegewisch, Ill., writes:

"My little son Luke was very nervous after having scarlet fever. He could not hold his right arm and leg still. Our physician's treatment made him worse. I got one bottle of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy and before it was all taken the St. Vitus Dance was gone. It is wonderful the way the medicine worked."

Mrs. J. W. Olin, Perry, N. Y., says:

"Our baby Kenneth was two years old and so nervous that he could not sleep. Neither would he eat scarcely anything. One bottle of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy cured him completely, and I cannot say enough in praise of this wonderful medicine."

Mrs. B. B. Bowie, Lisbon Falls, Me., says:

"My daughter Lena, five years old, was taken with the Saint Vitus Dance. She was so bad that she could not feed herself, and could not use her left hand, and could not talk so we could understand her. She could not walk without falling down. After taking two bottles of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy she was entirely cured."

Mrs. Herbert E. Harrington, Box 274, Adams, Mass., says:

"After two years with our local doctors, we took our little boy Royal to a specialist and he told us that Royal had epilepsy and was incurable. He lost his speech for six weeks and continued having the fits so he would have nine or ten in a night. We saw Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy advertised in the paper, so we got a bottle and gave it to Royal as directed. In three days the fits left him, and we have seen nothing of them since."

Mrs. H. H. Watson, 153 Bloomingdale St., Worcester, Mass., says:

"My daughter Ethel May had twenty-six convulsions in two years. Her appetite was very bad; she could not sleep nights, her limbs would draw up, and she suffered, oh, so much! She was as yellow as saffron and weak and delicate. Our local doctors gave her up.

"But, thanks to a wonderful medicine, she is now perfectly well and healthy. This remedy is Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and it has completely cured my little girl."

# of Epilepsy and St. Vitus Dance.

SCRAPS.

Naturalists say the lobster will soon follow the buffalo and diamond back terrapin.

Sheep growers find that the finer the wool the poorer is the skin for tanning purposes.

The City of Mexico is as much cooler than the United States in summer as it is warmer in winter.

Such is the rapid demand for the lumber that white pine is reported to be rapidly disappearing.

A few days ago at Littleton, N. H., the mercury changed from 40 below to 40 above inside of 24 hours.

Two billion passengers and 950,000,000 tons of goods are carried in a year on the world's railways.

England spends £123,866 a year on the British Museum. The salary of the principal librarian is £1,500.

If a cyclist were to ride around the coast of England and Wales he would cover a distance of about 2,500 miles.

Southern states are making much larger gains than any other section in the business of cotton and woolen manufacturing.

Australian papers are offering prizes for the best designs for a national flag to commemorate the new era inaugurated by the commonwealth.

In the present house of representatives of the Japan Diet, there are 130 farmers, 23 barristers, 12 officials, 26 merchants, 6 newspaper editors, 3 doctors and 70 members without fixed professions.

A working gardener living at Brunels, France, has been informed by a firm of New York lawyers that an uncle who emigrated years ago to the United States has died and left him a fortune of £240,000.

The manuscripts of the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries are, in many cases, almost illegible on account of the fading of the ink. At that time the lampblack inks passed out of use and chemical inks became popular.

Three congressmen now in Washington have found it necessary, on account of the similarity of their names, to hold a sort of clearing house for their mail every morning. They are Messrs. Robinson of Indiana, Robertson of Louisiana, and Robinson of Nevada.—Indianapolis News.

A TESTIMONIAL FROM OLD ENGLAND.

"I consider Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the best in the world for bronchitis," says Mr. William Savory, of Warrington, England. "It has saved my wife's life, she having been a martyr to bronchitis for over six years, being most of the time confined to her bed. She is now quite well." Sold by all druggists.

Twenty-four of the leading bankers, professional men and merchants of Richland, Mo., have entered into an agreement to parade in shirtwaists on May 1, when they will march through the principal streets. At night they will give an entertainment and supper to introduce the shirtwaist as a substituted for the "swallow tail" and Tuxedo.

A Strong Woman

Iowa City, Iowa, Aug. 15, 1900

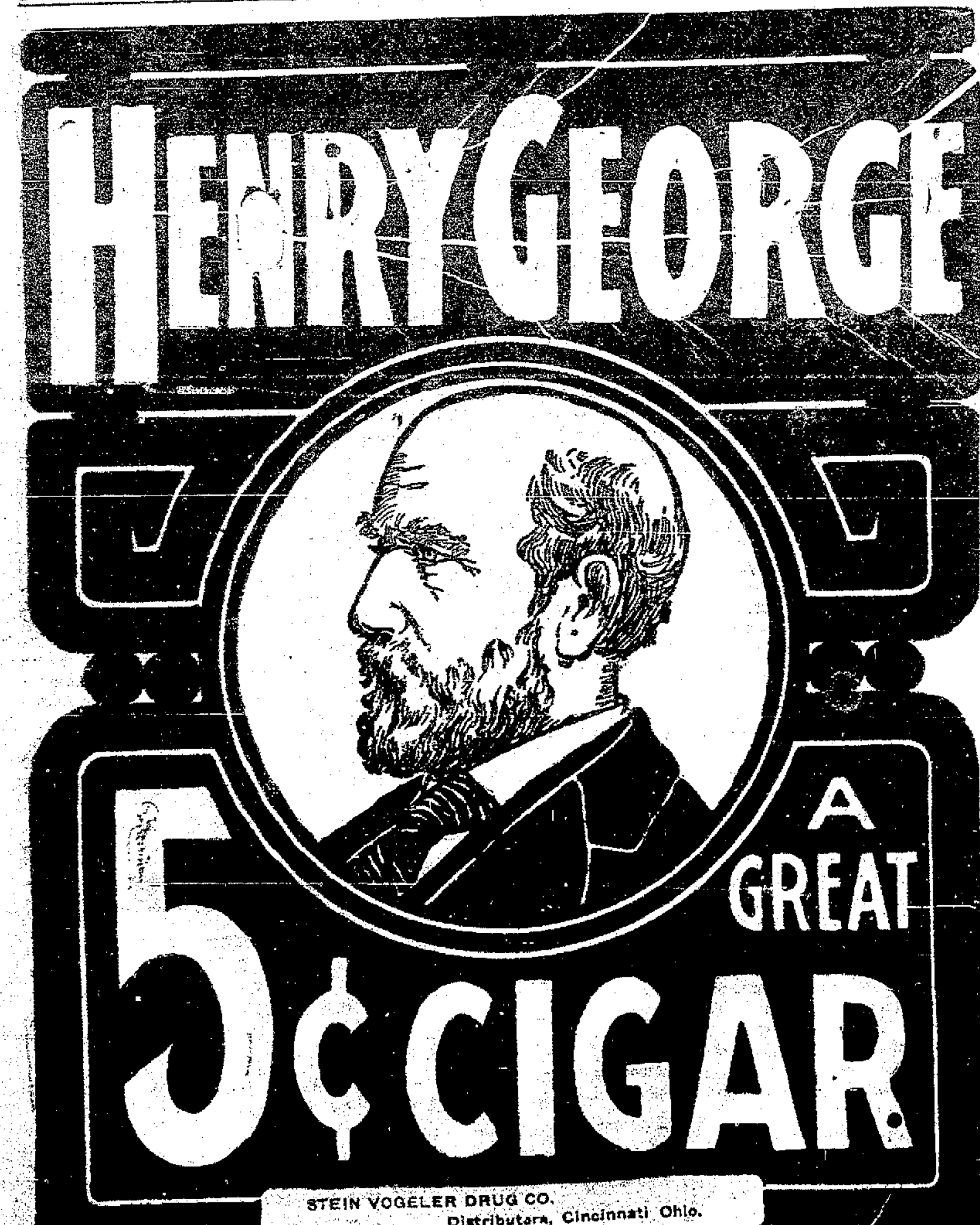
My wife was sick for three years. We tried everything without relief and spent much money. My wife tried Wine of Cardui and four bottles cured her. She took two more bottles, knowing she would have to work hard during the hay harvest. She attended to all her household duties and loaded and unloaded all the hay. This medicine gave her strength. Formerly she was weak and tired and could hardly get about, but since she has been taking Wine of Cardui she feels better and stronger than when 20 years of age. JOS. A. EISENHAFER.

Mrs. Eisenhafer had tried everything during her three years sickness and had spent considerable money. She was weak and could hardly get about for three years before she took

WINE OF CARDUI

Now, after taking the Wine of Cardui, she can work with her husband in the hay field. That is hard work, but it is not as injurious to a woman's health as labor in stores, factories and offices where thousands of girls are closely confined year after year. With the aid of Wine of Cardui a woman can do any reasonable work and enjoy good health. The health that Wine of Cardui brings makes a woman vigorous in body and mind. Freed from those terrible devastating pains a woman grows well and strong naturally. Wine of Cardui regulates the disordered menstruation and cures leucorrhoea, falling of the womb and periodical pains in the head and back caused by standing or sitting a long time in the same position. Thedford's Black-Draught puts the bowels, stomach, liver, kidneys and blood in proper shape. Greatly increased strength and endurance is the natural result. Most cases are cured quickly. All druggists sell $1.00 bottles of Wine of Cardui and 25 cent packages of Thedford's Black-Draught.

For advice and literature, address, giving symptoms, "The Ladies' Advisory Department," The Chattanooga Medicine Company, Chattanooga, Tenn.



BANDS OF BOXERS

Again in Action Committing Serious Depredations.

Peking, April 27.—A band of Boxers estimated at 1,000 is operating 20 miles south of Pao Ting Fu. It has raided three villages within a week and threatens to massacre the Christians in that vicinity, many of whom have fled to Pao Ting Fu for refuge. In the Man-Cheng district, northeast of Pao Ting Fu, another band is committing depredations, and has announced its intention to attack the city of Man-Cheng, where there is a post of 20 German soldiers.

A Daring Scheme.

Paris, April 27.—The Gaulois affirms that General Bailloud and Colonel Marchand some time ago contemplated an attempt to seize the Chinese empress and court. General Bailloud approached Colonel Marchand and asked him if he would undertake a certain enterprise which would very probably hasten the end of hostilities. The colonel replied that he was willing, and General Bailloud and Marchand drew up a plan, the execution of which was venturesome but feasible. The diplomats, however, opposed the scheme, and it fell through.

Steamship New York Crippled.

Queenstown, April 27.—The Cunard liner Campania, Captain Walker, from New York, reported having passed the American liner New York Captain Roberts, from Southampton April 20, at noon Wednesday, and that the New York signalled that her port shaft was broken. The Campania stopped for five minutes to take further signals, but nothing was given beyond the announcement that, apart from the accident, all was well. The New York proceeded westward, making good progress with one engine.

Madrid Strike.

Madrid, April 27.—The general strike of the street railway employes, which started here early in the week, still continues. Some members of the strikers' committee have been imprisoned as an outcome of an attack. The cars are running, escorted by mounted gendarmes and driven by military engineers.

Barracks Destroyed.

Washington, April 27. — Admiral Kempff, at Cavite, cabled the navy department as follows: "Cyclone struck Polloc. The Twenty-second barracks was destroyed; hospital unfit for use. No casualties. Government damage $2,000. Request this amount be made available."

Wounds Fatal.

Chicago, April 27.—R. D. Houghteling, who shot officer William Messenger in a revolver fight at the Harrison street police court room Wednesday, died at the county jail hospital of wounds inflicted by Messenger's fellow officers. Messenger died Thursday.

Steamer Founders.

Cadiz, April 27. — The new Dutch steamer Carolina, from Amsterdam for the Dutch East Indies, has grounded, backed off into deep water and foundered. All on board were saved and landed at Cadiz.

Banished For Life.

Rome, April 27.—Bresci, who assassinated King Humbert of Italy, has just been removed to the penal colony on Ventotene island, and he will remain there for life.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Prices For April 26.

CHICAGO—Cattle: Good to prime steers: $5 00@6 00; poor to medium, $3 90@4 95; stockers and feeders, $2 80@4 90; cows, $2 70@4 00; heifers, $2 75@4 85; canners, $2 00@2 60; bulls, $2 00@4 50; Texas fed steers, $4 25@5 40; Texas grass steers, $3 50@4 00; Texas bulls, $2 75@4 00. Calves—$4 00@5 25. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $5 75@6 00; good to choice heavy, $5 80@6 05; rough heavy, $5 65@5 75; light, $5 70@5 95. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wethers, $4 65@4 90; fair to choice mixed, $4 30@4 65; western sheep, $4 65@4 90; Texas sheep, $4 65@4 90; native lambs, $4 50@5 30; western lambs, $4 70@5 30. Wheat—No. 2 red, 74@75½c. Corn—No. 2, 48c. Oats—No. 2, 27c.

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Good to choice smooth dry fed 1,250 lb. steers and upwards, $4 90@5 15; good to choice dry fed lighter steers, $4 75@4 85; green half fat 900 to 1,200 lb. steers, $4 50@4 60; fair to best heifers, $4 00@4 50; fair to extra cows, $3 00@4 00; bulls, $3 50@4 00. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice handy clipped lambs, $5 00@5 10; fair to good, $4 70@4 90; heavy clipped lambs, 90 to 100 lbs., $4 60@4 75; culls and common, $3 50@4 50; choice handy wether clipped sheep, $4 25@4 40; good to choice, $4 10@4 25; good mixed sheep, $4 00@4 15; good to choice ewes, $3 75@4 00; culls and common, $2 00@3 25. Calves—Good to best, $5 00@6 00. Hogs—Yorkers, $6 05; mediums, $6 10; pigs, $5 70@5 80.

PITTSBURG—Cattle: Choice, $5 50@5 75; prime, $5 30@5 50; good, $5 00@5 20; tidy butchers, $4 75@5 50; heifers, $3 00@4 75; cows, bulls and stags, $3 00@4 50; fresh cows, $25 00@50 00. Sheep and Lambs—Choice sheep, $4 40@4 50; good, $4 20@4 35; fair, $3 75@4 10; choice lambs, $5 10@5 25; common to good, $3 50@5 00. Hogs—Mediums and heavy Yorkers, $6 15; light Yorkers, $6 05@6 10; heavy hogs, $6 15@6 17½; pigs, $5 90@6 00.

BUFFALO—Cattle: Exporters, $5 50@5 75; shipping, $5 30@5 50; butchers, $4 65@5 15; cows, $3 25@4 25; bulls, $3 60@4 25; stockers and feeders, $3 75@4 50. Sheep and Lambs—Best wool lambs, $5 75@5 90; fair to good clips, $5 15@5 30; clipped sheep, $4 00@4 25; wethers and yearlings, $4 50@4 85. Calves—$5 14@6 00. Hogs—Yorkers, $6 12½@6 15; medium heavy, $6 15.

NEW YORK—Cattle: Steers, $5 00@5 70; bulls, $3 00@4 15; cows, $2 00@4 00. Sheep and Lambs—Common wooled sheep, $4 00; clipped sheep, $4 25@4 80; wooled lambs, $5 75@6 12½; clipped lambs, $5 45@5 50; clipped culls, $3 50@4 25; spring lambs, $4 75@5 25 per head. Calves—Veals, $3 50@6 25. Hogs—State hogs, $6 25@6 45; Ohio pigs, $6 25. Wheat—No. 2 red, 83⅝c. Corn—No. 2, 53⅜c. Oats—No. 2, 31½c.

CINCINNATI—Wheat: No. 2 red, 76¼@77c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 48c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 29c. Rye—No. 2, 56c. Lard—$8 12½. Bulk Meats—$8 30. Bacon—$8 15. Hogs—$4 25@5 90. Cattle—$2 75@5 25. Sheep—$2 50@4 50. Lambs—$4 00@6 00.

TOLEDO—Wheat, 75⅝c; corn, 46c; oats, 28c; rye, 53c; cloverseed, $6 70.

BALTIMORE—Butter: Fancy creamery, 20@21c. Eggs—Fresh, 14c.

WAR ON MOSQUITOES.

Army Officers to Fight Yellow Fever on New Lines.

RADICAL CHANGE IN METHODS.

Those Ill With the Disease to Be Isolated in Wards Made Mosquito Proof—Patient's Clothes and Bedding Need Not Be Fumigated Except For Mosquitoes.

Surgeon General Sternberg recently approved, according to a Washington dispatch, the draft of an order to be promulgated by the chief surgeon in Havana for protection against yellow fever and the prevention of its dissemination by mosquitoes. The order says:

"The recent experiments made in Havana by the medical department of the army having proved that yellow fever, like malarial fever, is conveyed chiefly, and probably exclusively, by the bite of infected mosquitoes, important changes in the measures used for the prevention and treatment of this disease have become necessary.

"So far as yellow fever is concerned, infection of a room or building simply means that it contains infected mosquitoes—that is, mosquitoes which have fed on yellow fever patients. Disinfection, therefore, means the employment of measures aimed at the destruction of these mosquitoes. The most effective of these measures is fumigation, either with sulphur, formaldehydes or insect powder. The fumes of sulphur are the quickest and the most effective insecticide, but are otherwise objectionable. Formaldehyde gas is quite effective if the infected rooms are kept closed and sealed for two or three hours. The smoke of insect powder has also been proved useful. It really stupefies mosquitoes, which drop to the floor and can then be easily destroyed. The washing of walls, floors, ceilings and furniture with disinfectants is unnecessary.

"As it has been demonstrated that yellow fever cannot be conveyed by bedding, clothing, effects and baggage, they need not be subject to any special disinfection. Care should be taken, however, not to remove them from the infected rooms until after formaldehyde fumigation, so that they may not harbor any infected mosquitoes.

"The infection of mosquitoes is most likely to occur during the first two or three days of the disease. Ambulant cases—that is, patients not ill enough to take to their beds and remaining unsuspected and unprotected—are probably those most responsible for the spread of the disease. It is therefore essential that all fever cases shall be at once isolated and so protected that no mosquitoes can possibly get access to them until the nature of the fever is positively determined.

"Each post shall have a 'reception ward' for the admission of all fever cases and an 'isolation ward' for the treatment of cases which prove to be yellow fever. Each ward shall be made mosquito proof by wire netting over doors and windows, a ceiling of wire netting at a height of seven feet above the floor, and mosquito bars over the beds. There should be no place in it where mosquitoes can seek refuge not readily accessible to the nurse. Both wards can be in the same building provided they are separated by a mosquito tight partition.

"Malarial fever, like yellow fever, is communicated by mosquito bites and therefore is just as much of an infectious disease and requires the same measures of protection as against mosquitoes."

FRANCE'S NEW NAVY.

Plans of Two of Her Largest Battleships.

France, writes a Paris correspondent, has just inaugurated the vast increase in her navy which has been contemplated for years and which was authorized by an act passed by the chamber of deputies in February. The minister of marine has issued an order for the beginning of work on two battleships, the Republique and the Patrie, which in point of dimensions and general equipment will surpass anything now in the French navy.

These vessels will have a displacement of 14,865 tons, more than 2,000 in excess of that of the Suffren, the latest and greatest French warship afloat. They will each measure 434 feet 9 inches in length by a beam of 78 feet 10 inches and will have a draft of 27 feet 3 inches. Each vessel will carry 4 guns of 12 inches, two in the forward and two in the aft turrets; 18 guns of 6.3 inches, distributed among the smaller towers and gunholes; 26 guns of 1.85 inches and 2 of 1.45 inches, besides five torpedo boats, two of which are submarine.

France to Lay More Cables.

The French government recently concluded with that of Morocco a convention for the laying of an exclusively French submarine cable to Tangier, where hitherto the French have been dependent on the British and Spanish lines, writes a correspondent. The chief inspector of French telegraphs is making preliminary arrangements for laying the cable which will connect Marseilles, Tangier and Oran.

Judge on Euchre and Whist For Prizes.

In the spring term of the superior court at Dalton, Ga., the judge in his charge to the grand jury very rigidly called its attention to the progressive whist and euchre parties playing for prizes, putting it in the same category with gambling and telling the jurors to look closely into it and to prosecute anybody found guilty.—Atlanta Constitution.

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It has been estimated that the forests of the Philippine islands cover an area of about 40,000,000 acres. The island of Mindano with an area of some 20,000,000 acres, has immense tracts of almost unbroken forest. The same is true with regard to the islands of Mindoro and Palawan, and even in Luzon, the most densely populated island of the group, and where most timber has been cut, there still exist millions of acres of virgin forest. The forests will prove to be among the greatest resources of these beautiful and fertile islands, and, if the disposition of the timber is judiciously managed by the government sufficient can be cut, without destroying the forests, to provide funds for many much-needed public improvements, and to recompense the United States for the great military and other expenditures. Much of this can be done with absolute advantage to the forests, as millions of cubic feet of timber should be cut in order to thin the dense growth so that the maximum annual growth of the trees can be obtained. One peculiarity about these forests is that there are no great areas covered by any one species of tree, so that to accumulate a cargo of one kind of timber it must be assembled from different localities. There are many reasons why large capital will be required to carry on a successful timber trade in these islands but with sufficient means there is no commercial venture that will yield more remunerative profit. It is not definitely known how many different species of trees exist in the archipelago, but the number is probably from 400 to 500, of which a large proportion are hardwoods.

If troubled with rheumatism, give Chamberlain's Pain-Balm a trial. It will not cost you a cent if it does no good. One application will relieve the pain. It also cures sprains and bruises in one-third the time required by any other treatment. Cuts, burns, frostbites, quinsey, pains in the side and chest, glandular and other swellings are quickly cured by applying it. Every bottle warranted. Price, 25 and 50 cents. Sold by all druggists. mch 1-4m.

Young Phillips, king of corn, is again in a position to be kind and lenient to those who sold what they didn't have.

BEST WAY TO CURE BACKACHE.

Backaches are caused by disorder in the kidneys. Foley's Kidney Cure will make the kidneys right. Take no substitute.

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

During the prevalence of the intense cold in the Yukon region the first two months of this year (68.5 below zero being the lowest), there was a haze all over the country, and an epidemic of rabies seized upon the dogs of Dawson.

JOB COULDN'T HAVE STOOD IT

If he'd had Itching Piles. They're terribly annoying; but Bucklen's Arnica Salve will cure the worst case of piles on earth. It has cured thousands. For Injuries, Pains or Bodily Eruptions its the best salve in the world. Price 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by H. F. Vortkamp.

This prolonged cold snap just passed was rather hard on the young man who had all his funds tied up in warm weather clothing.

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STAGE WHISPERS.

"Tsar Foris," a new play by Count Tolstoi, will soon be staged at Nijni Novgorod.

Francis Wilson has in view a plan to revive all his old-time successes next season and this is being discussed now by his managers.

Sybil Sanderson is giving a series of concerts at Budapest, after which she will sing at the Wintergarten, Berlin, and then return to Paris.

It has been settled that R. D. McLean and Odett Tyler will be under the management of W. G. Smyth next season, and they intend to make at least two elaborate Shakespearean productions.

Sadie Martinot will soon begin a starring tour in "Sapho," under Louis Nethersole's management, and supported by Olga Nethersole's company. Next season Miss Martinot will star in a new play by Clyde Fitch.

James K. Hackett is going to play next season Victor Mapes' drama "Don Caesar's Return," which Richard Mansfield put in rehearsal last autumn, but subsequently shelved because of his revival of "King Henry V."

Mrs. H. C. De Mille and Harriet Ford have been at work during the winter on a new play for Richard Mansfield, founded on the life of Rembrandt. Last summer these authors went to Holland in order to study the history and atmosphere of their subject.

THE MOST STUBBORN COUGHS

resulting from an attack of la grippe or heavy cold, must yield to the wonderful healing properties of Foley's Honey and Tar, which strengthens the lungs and makes them sound.

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

Last year 1,404 persons were injured and eighteen killed in London by being flung headlong out of hansom cabs, by reason of the horses slipping and falling. It is not surprising that London calls for a safer vehicle less dangerous than the hansom.

"STICK TO IT."

Geo. L. Heard of High Tower, Georgia, writes: "Eczema broke out on my baby covering his entire body. Under treatment of our family physician he got worse as he could not sleep for the burning and itching. We used a box of Banner Salve on him and by the time it was gone he was well. The doctor seeing it was curing him said "Stick to it for it is doing him more good than anything I have done for him."

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

John Burns, the Brooklyn featherweight, who has a good record, is anxious to fight Terry McGovern. He has backing of $1,000 to fight McGovern at 122 to 125 pounds.

V. B. Conklin, Bowersville, O., says: "I received more benefit from Foley's Kidney Cure than from months of treatment by physicians."

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

When completed the new Naval Academy at Annapolis will have cost $3,000,000, and will be finer than any government structure outside of Washington. It will have accommodations for 500 cadets.

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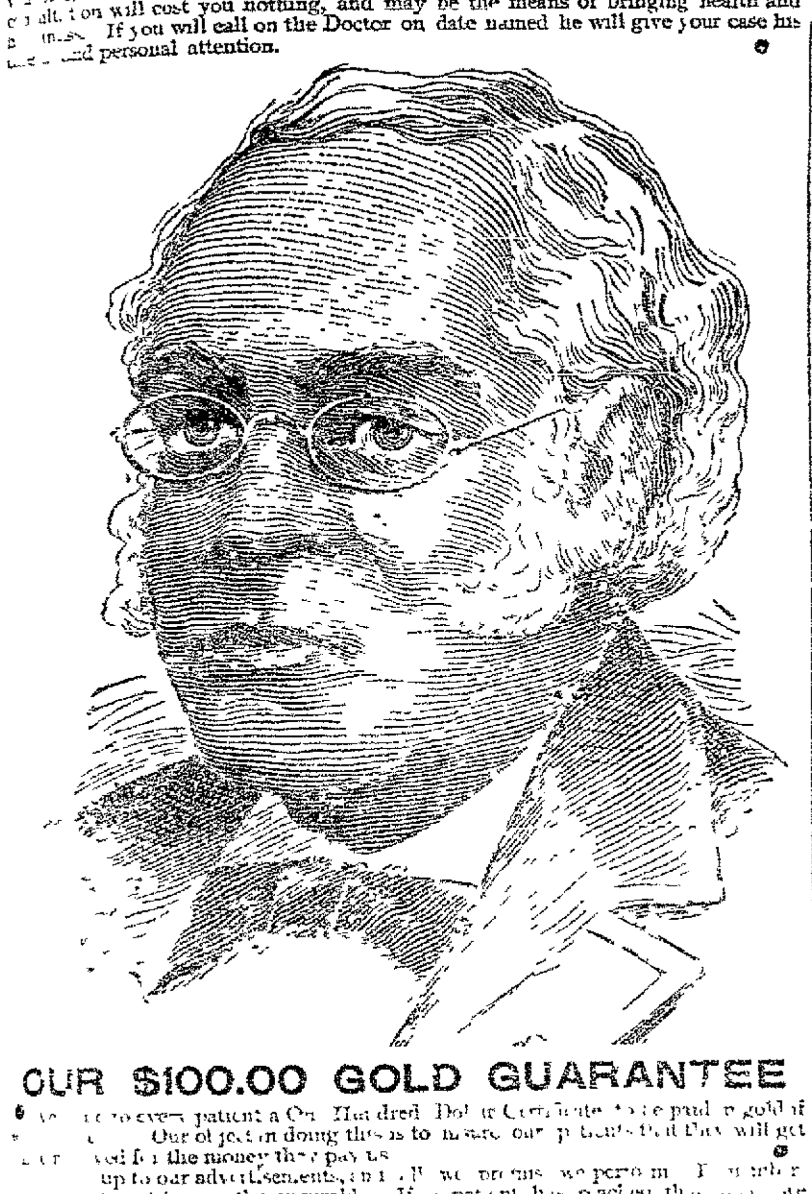

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The heaviest man in America, if not in the world, is Lee Trickey, of Glenwood, Wis., who tips the beam at 560 pounds. A few years ago he weighed 710, but has fallen away to the former figure. Trickey follows the occupation of a teamster for a living.

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Dreams Inspired by the Flow of Beaumont Oil Wells.

COMPANIES QUICKLY ORGANIZED.

Industrial Revolution Looked For From Utilization of the Oil as Fuel. In the Meantime There Is Furious Speculation In Oil Shares—Capitalists Appealed To.

The oil craze, which has been prevailing in southeastern Texas and southwestern Louisiana for some weeks, has struck New Orleans, says the New York Sun. Large numbers of oil shares are being dealt in there, and all kinds of projects relating to oil are being discussed.

There was quite a boom in Beaumont and the surrounding country there before the oil craze struck it. The Texas city is a lumber town, the very center of the yellow pine district of Texas, and until two years ago it knew of nothing except lumber. But the lumber industry, while profitable, is not permanent, and Beaumont saw the day when, its yellow pine being exhausted, it would sink back to insignificance. Two years ago the experiment was made of growing rice. It succeeded, and a rice boom was started. Lands which had been quoted at $2 an acre when the lumber was cut from them rose to $25. The oil craze has now completely killed the rice boom. If the rice boom increased the price of the land tenfold, the oil craze has multiplied it 40 times. It is now everywhere held at $1,000 an acre and in some favored localities commands $25,000. Nor are these prices merely fancy ones, for the court records of Jefferson and Orange counties show many sales at these figures.

Now that the country is shown to be full of oil the wonder is that it had not been discovered sooner. The explanation lies in the fact that the flat country of Louisiana and Texas, lying only a few feet above the level of the gulf of Mexico, presents to miners and mineral experts the most uninviting field possible. One would scarcely dig for minerals in a swamp.

Such discoveries as have been made were purely accidental. Thus a man named Avery was sinking a well on his island plantation when he struck the famous salt mine of Petit Anse, on Avery island. In this salt country another shaft struck a vein of pure sulphur, around which has grown up Sulphur City, in Calcasieu parish. The mine is now the property of the Standard Oil company, which has found it profitable, but gives no details of its operations. The fact that oil should not have been discovered before is the more remarkable because in all the other mining operations oil was encountered.

All the time the existence of an oil pool in the gulf was known. Some eight or ten miles from the coast, immediately opposite the Louisiana Texas boundary, a stream of oil rises from the bottom of the gulf and spreads over the surrounding waters, covering some square miles. Strange to say, no one ever seemed to see any significance in this pool.

Occasionally shafts were sunk mainly by way of experiment, and the oil has narrowly been missed. Some of the officers of the Texas and Pacific sunk a well for oil in what is now known as the oil district 20 years ago. They struck the oil, but only a pocket, and got a few hundred barrels. The enterprise cost some $10,000 and proved nearly a dead loss, and no one cared to repeat it. A few years ago, when the result of this experiment had been forgotten, a well was sunk very near the first Beaumont gushers. The pipe was sunk 1,000 feet and found traces of oil, but it was finally abandoned. A few hundred feet more would have struck the big vein of oil.

All these facts have only intensified the oil craze. "To think that we have had a fortune under our feet all the time and did not know it," is the comment of the landowners of Texas and Louisiana. There had been organized up to April 16 115 oil companies, with a total capital of $32,783,000, and they are being organized at the rate of ten a day. Besides there are the pipe lines, of which one with $5,000,000 capital has already been organized and two each with $10,000,000 capital are proposed. One pipe line controlled by the Standard Oil company has already been constructed to Port Arthur.

The craze is not confined to Beaumont. Wells are being sunk in Calcasieu, Cameron, St. Landy, Acadia, St. Martin's and Plaquemine parish, La., and Louisiana is turning out new companies at the rate of two a day. The wells are being sunk as fast as the necessary labor and appliances can be obtained.

The practical work of oil mining is as nothing compared with the speculation, which is curious and thoughtless, not only in Beaumont, but also in New Orleans, Galveston and Houston. Beaumont already has an oil exchange. The speculation in oil shares is so great in New Orleans that an oil exchange will soon be started there, as all the other speculation has ceased. Already several of the leading stocks are quoted on the Stock Exchange and sell well. Everybody, clerk and capitalist alike, is dabbling in the oil stocks, although none of them is listed, and very few persons know anything about the companies in which they own stock.

Some of the companies have wells: some own land upon which they expect to find oil; some do not even own land, but expect to buy. Others are mere wildcat schemes organized to take advantage of the popular craze for oil stocks. Several companies were in the field selling shares when it was discovered that they had not even taken the trouble to get charters. An agent of a Beaumont company, the Drillers, came to New Orleans with the stock, 50,000 shares, to dispose of and sold all of it to members of the Cotton Exchange in two days. Even before the stock was sold on the Stock Exchange 50,000 shares were disposed of daily in New Orleans, and the sales have since doubled.

Appeals have been made to capitalists to enter the field. New Orleans has in particular been appealed to and its capitalists invited to secure a control of the oil output of the Beaumont district that will make it a great manufacturing center. The indications are that New Orleans capital will make the venture. Some of the largest capitalists have gone heavily into Texas oils.

Among the enterprises under way — a pipe line from Beaumont to New Orleans, with a capital of $10,000,000. It will supply the sugar house with oil for fuel instead of coal. The Oxnard and Sprague plantation at Adeline has led off by abandoning coal and deciding to use Beaumont oil for fuel in the future, and it will be followed by the other plantations. This will require no change in their furnaces. The oil is sprayed on the begasse or dry cones and burned. Two barrels of oil worth from 50 cents to 80 cents furnish the same combustion and heat as a ton of coal worth from $3.50 to $4. There is no reason to doubt that the Louisiana sugar houses will adopt the new fuel.

These are some of the dreams that New Orleans, southern Louisiana and southeastern Texas are indulging in—that the discovery of oil in this region is going to revolutionize it industrially. So far it is mainly dream and speculation, but the gushers are there and are pouring out the oil by millions of barrels daily. The chief danger seems to be in the sinking of so many wells, the developing of so much country and the production of so much oil that there will be no market for it. Even if all that is hoped for from the development of this field and the utilization of this oil for fuel is accomplished it will be years before the full result can be realized.

ZOARITES TO START ANEW.

Seventy Former Colonists Sign Compact to Settle in Western Seclusion.

The older members of the Zoarites, whose communistic colony at Zoar, O., was disrupted two years ago by the young people who refused to adhere to the principles of the cult, are moving to the west, taking up temporary quarters in a Minnesota town, says a Wheeling dispatch to the New York Evening Sun. Later they will select a permanent place and endeavor to carry out their ideas by drawing more rigorous rules for the government of their community.

The Zoarites assert that their Ohio experiment was interfered with by the coming of the railroads. The young men and the young women were permitted to mingle with young folks of the villages around the colony's property, and by and by there were a few marriages. The dissatisfaction in the colony increased until it culminated in the dissolution of the old compact. The division of the proceeds gave each of the Zoarites about $5,000.

Of the 136 members, or heads of families, 70 will take the new oath and become parties to the western scheme. Children under the new regime will be kept within the colony inclosures, and when they are of age they, too, must take the oath of lifelong fealty. If they refuse, they will be turned out.

TOLSTOI TO THE CZAR.

"Free the Peasant; Away With Police System; Stop Persecution."

Count Tolstoi has addressed a remarkable letter to the czar, telegrams from St. Petersburg report, courageously appealing to him to remove existing Russian grievances, says the Vienna correspondent of the New York World. In the letter Tolstoi writes:

"Why will you fight with what you can never subdue by force instead of covering your name with imperishable fame by treading the way of justice? You protect injustice, sire.

"Free the peasant from the brutal tyranny of the officials, give him equal rights with other ranks and do away with the present police system, which demoralizes society, degrades the empire and breeds spies and informers. Do away with restraints on education, so that the road to enlightenment may lie open to all. Prohibit no man from having his free belief and let religious persecution cease."

The letter has created a deep impression and is warmly approved by educated Russians.

Homes For American Embassadors.

A report that comes from London that the United States government is looking at a London house with a view to buying it for the residence of its embassador ought to be true, though possibly it is not, says E. S. Martin in Harper's Weekly. The duty of buying houses in foreign capitals for its embassadors and ministers is one that Uncle Sam has neglected unconscionably long. It is so clearly sensible and expedient that it is surprising that it was not done long ago, but for that matter it is surprising that the embassadors' salaries have not been increased. Possibly the necessity of providing a safe and permanent home for the American legation at Peking will serve as a precedent for acquiring real estate in other capitals, but whenever the houses are bought adequate provision should be made for the support of our representatives who are to live in them. The labor of finding and hiring a furnished house in a foreign city ought not to be imposed any longer on our embassadors. It wastes time and strength and thought, which are needed for other more important uses.

CAMPAIGNING IN AFRICA.

Hardships of British Soldiers In Their Chase After De Wet.

A correspondent of an English paper gives a sympathetic account of the discomforts and hardships which the British soldiers in South Africa have had to encounter in their long and cheerless chase after the elusive De Wet. Their lot is especially hard in rainy weather, of which there has of late been a very great deal. The writer says: "Every other day there has been a thunder storm, and in South Africa a thunder storm is generally accompanied by torrential rains. In very few cases have the men had any shelter whatever. They lie down dog tired, cover their faces with their blankets or greatcoats and try to sleep. If they are lying on the level, they find, after ten minutes of South African rain, that their bed is a small lake. If they sleep on a slope then it is a miniature torrent. Only those who have experienced this cold water torture can form any idea of its discomfort. The men's eyes are heavy with sheer weariness of body, yet the relentless rain makes sleep impossible, and at earliest dawn they up saddle, unrefreshed and still tired."

One thing, however they have learned, and that is the small amount of food necessary to keep a man in health and strength. The correspondent remarks: "As a rule the troops before starting say at 4 a. m. have a cup of coffee and a biscuit. The march will often last till 3 or 4 in the afternoon. If the transport is up they have a good solid meal of fresh meat, rum, biscuits, tea or coffee, and they do not wish for any more for the rest of the day and would probably refuse the offer of another meal. This diet is not lowering. The men look the very picture of health and strength. If the transport is not 'up,' they have to go hungry and seem little the worse for it."

CODY'S MILITARY COLLEGE.

"Buffalo Bill" Chief of an International Academy of Rough Riders.

There was projected for Colorado last year a national rough rider military encampment which has now been transferred to Wyoming and incorporated under the laws of New Jersey, with ample capital and with Colonel W. F. Cody as its president. The title of the school is the Cody Military College and International Academy of Rough Riders. Brigadier General E. V. Sumner, U. S. A., retired, is one of the incorporators and is commanding general and treasurer of the college. Colonel Schuyler Crosby of New York, former governor of Montana and a member of General Sheridan's staff, is first vice president and C. D. Gurley second vice president.

The location is in the heart of the Big Horn basin, Big Horn county, Wy., 35 miles from the Yellowstone National park. The college has purchased extensive grounds and is erecting comfortable quarters built of logs and fashioned in the old blockhouse fort style. In addition to the teaching of military drill and tactics the students will learn all the craft of frontier life, including rough riding, scouting, the hunting of big game and perfection in horsemanship.

One of the objects sought is to fit the students of the college for practical camp life and to command a company of soldiers in time of peace or war. The eastern headquarters will be in charge of Colonel Schuyler Crosby.

AMERICAN WAGONS BEST.

General Roberts Says They Are the Best In Use In South Africa.

Another dispatch from Earl Roberts on the subject of the South African campaign dated April 2, 1900, has been published in the London Gazette. It largely concerns the transport service and says the mule transport consisted of what are called in South Africa buck wagons each carrying a load of 3,500 pounds, drawn by ten mules, with two native drivers. After mentioning the serviceable wagons made in Cape Colony and the frequent retiring and other repairs which the English made wagon required Lord Roberts said:

"Six buck wagons were imported for trial from the United States. These proved to be superior to any other pattern of either Cape or English manufacture. The wheels were of hickory, the bodies of black walnut and the metal work of steel. The superiority of these vehicles was doubtless due to the fact that mule wagons are largely used in America for the carriage of goods as well as for military transport. The manufacturers have therefore learned by practical experience what is the best type of wagon and what are the most suitable materials in building them. It may be added that the wagons in question cost considerably less than the Bristol pattern wagons."

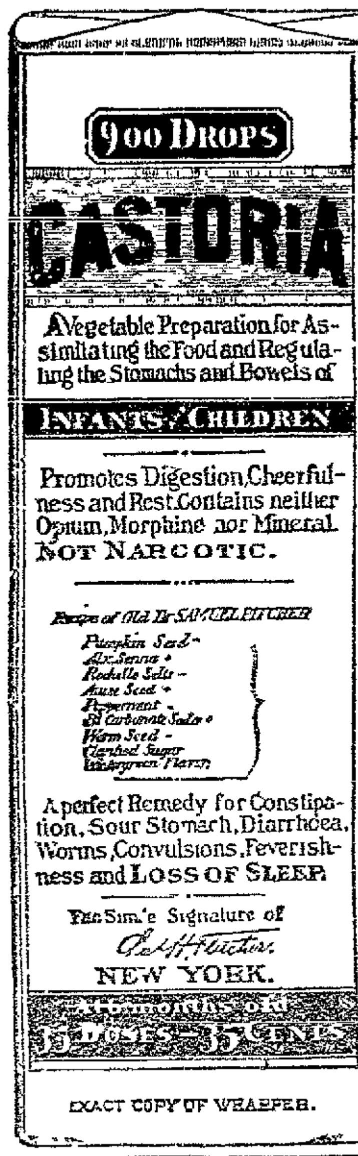
The best mules, Lord Roberts thinks, are the Cape mules and the next best the Indian mules. The mortality among the oxen was greater than among the mules.

Latest Athletic Rules at Yale.

At a mass meeting of Yale undergraduates held the other day at New Haven new eligibility rules for athletes of the university were adopted, says the New York World. Hereafter freshmen in the professional schools may become members of Yale athletic teams on entering college. Heretofore they were compelled to wait one year. The students of all departments are now on the same basis as far as eligibility to athletic teams is concerned.

Russia to Take Over the Saloons.

According to a London newspaper M. de Witte, the Russian minister of finance, proposes from July 14 next to extend to the whole of European Russia the monopoly of the sale of spirits by the state, which at present is only in force in certain provinces of the empire.



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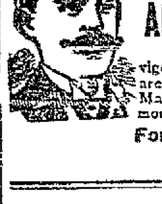

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The last sad rites over the mortal remains of P. J. Doolin, the unfortunate engineer, who met his death in the wreck of the C. H. & D. flyer near Johnson's station Wednesday evening, were held at St. Rose church this morning at 8:30 o'clock. The large church was well filled with people of all creeds and from all walks in life, who were present upon this sad occasion to pay tribute of love and respect to a departed friend. The solemn church services for the dead were beautifully exemplified by the pastor, Rev. A. E. Manning. At the conclusion of the Requiem High Mass and the entoning of the burial services Father Manning preached an eloquent and pathetic funeral sermon. He said that the words of man upon such a sad event were inadequate to do justice to the occasion. In the course of his sermon Father Manning referred to the noble life of the dead engineer in most feeling terms. He spoke of his loyalty to his employers, his love for his fellowman, and his untiring devotion and love for his wife and children. A large procession of the members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers; Knights of Columbus, Catholic Mutual Benefit Association and Catholic Knights of Ohio, attended the funeral services in a body. The floral pieces were in large numbers and were very beautiful, among them being a broken wheel from the B. of L. E.; a cross and crown from the B. of L. F.; a huge pillow from Branch 64, C. M. B. A., and a large piece from the C. K. of C., representing the emblem of that order. The following were the pallbearers: Jno. S. O'Connor and M. J. Callahan, of Lima Council, Knights of Columbus; J. M. McVey and J. A. Myers, of the C. K. of C.; J. M. Madigan and Will J. O'Day, of Branch 64, C. M. B. A., and John H. Moore and Louis Kemper, of the B. of L. E. The body was laid to rest in a cemented vault in Gethsemani cemetery.

The following near relatives and friends of the deceased from out of the city were in attendance at the funeral: Michael Doolin, only brother of the deceased; Mrs. Kelly, a sister, and her family; Patrick Hanafin, Will Shine, Jr., Michael Carber and Martin Lacey, of Sidney. C. J. Harrigan, of Indianapolis; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hubbard and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, of Piqua; John McNeff, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Keelty, of Bellefontaine; Michael Hickey and daughter, and Joseph McCraite, of Columbus Grove; M. J. O'Connor, Sr., M. J. O'Connor, Jr., Charles B. Curtis, Sr., Charles Curtis, Jr., John Corcoran and Henry Smith, of Dayton. The following engineers from the C. H. & D. from Cincinnati were also in attendance: M. C. O'Connor, Richard Cahill, John Sullivan, Mike Ryan, John Ryan, John McCutcheon, Daniel Brannon, Mike Dooley, —— Youckey, J. H. Kersker, Fred O'Connor, traveling engineer Frank Miller, and general foreman of the Cincinnati shops, Apple. The following firemen of Cincinnati were also in attendance: Ed. Foley, Pat Riordan, —— Piner, Ed. O'Mara, William Rollins, and John Standish; agent Thomas Sullivan, of Anna Station. The following Knights of Columbus from abroad were present: P. O'Malley, of Syracuse, New York; C. A. Steve, of Wapakoneta; J. F. Lindemann, Arnold B. King, Charles Lang, and engineer Martin Garvey, of the Northern Ohio, of Delphos.

FIREMAN'S FUNERAL.

The funeral services held last evening over the remains of Raymond C. McElroy, the passenger fireman who met death in the wreck with engineer Doolin, were conducted at the home of the deceased's bereaved family, 725 north Jefferson street, and were conducted by Rev. Wollinger, pastor of the Calvary Reformed church, who was assisted by Rev. Dr. R. J. Thomson, of the Market street Presbyterian church, and Rev. Brundige, of the Wayne street Church of Christ. Impressive services were also conducted by the officers of Lima Lodge No. 581, I. O. O. F., of which lodge the deceased was a member. The members of this lodge, accompanied by members of the other local lodges of Odd Fellows and the Daughters of Rebekah and the members of lodge No. 184, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and those of the Ladies' Auxiliary to that lodge attended the services in a body. The solemn, sacred music at the services was furnished by a trio of male voices from the I. O. O. F. lodge.

This morning the members of the lodges mentioned and many other friends of the deceased and of the bereaved family went to the saddened home and escorted the remains to the P., Ft. W. & C. depot where they were placed on board an east bound train at 8:51 o'clock and were taken to Ada, funeral services and interment occurring there this afternoon. The relatives of the deceased were accompanied to Ada by members of the various lodges mentioned above and by other friends. Three members of Lima Lodge I. O. O. F. and three members of the B. of L. F. served as pall bearers. The floral offerings were profuse and beautiful, including large floral pieces furnished by the B. of L. F., D. of R., L. O. O. F. and Ladies' Auxiliary to the B. of L. F.

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20th Century—Miss Mary Jones.
Round Table—Mrs. McKay.
Clionian—Mrs. Gilles.
Chautauquans—

Tuesday.

F. S. E.—Mr. and Mrs. R. Parmenter.
Etude—Mrs. F. C. McCoy.

Thursday.

Spinet—Mrs. O. J. Simpson.
Wimodaughsis—Mrs. J. H. Kemper.

Friday.

Philomathean—Mrs. Charles Thomas.
Sittorium—Mrs. E. V. Wells.

Saturday.

Harmony—Miss Fannie Hughes.
Woman's Culture—Mrs. Newman.

Early in June at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cory, of west Market street, will occur the marriage of their daughter, Carrie M. Cory, to Mr. Michael C. Purtscher.

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Next Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. M. S. Thompson will open her home on west Spring street to the missionary society of Market street Presbyterian church. An interesting program will be given.

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Mrs. George P. Waldorf returned to her home in Toledo today, after a fortnight visit with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Monilon.

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The Thursday club were entertained very pleasantly this week at the home of Mrs. B. Harper, of Eureka street. Select readings, social chat and a dainty tea made up the pleasures of the evening.

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Mrs. F. A. Flooter and daughter, of Toledo, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Flooter, of north Washington street.

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Wednesday afternoon, the A. O. T. club enjoyed their closing meeting for the season of 1900 and 1901. Mrs. Fred De Grief, of east Market street, being the hostess, a number of guests being included with the club. In the round of progressive pedro, the high score cards fell to Mrs. C. Williams and Mrs. J. C. Ridenour, who cut. Mrs. Ridenour securing the royal prize, a point lace handkerchief. Mrs. John Baugh held the next highest score, securing the second prize, a dainty hand made handkerchief. A three course luncheon was served after the interesting game.

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Next Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Walter Scott, of Circular street, will entertain a number of ladies at a progressive pedro party.

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The time is approaching for the end of club work for this season at least and the Philomathean club will combine pleasure with business at the home of Mrs. C. Thomas, on Friday evening.

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The Young Women's Guild, of Christ church met yesterday at the home of Miss Inez Lowe, of west Market street.

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This evening Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Richie, of west North street, entertain the West End Whist club at six o'clock dinner.

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The Oriental club meeting which was to have been last evening, has been postponed until two weeks from last evening, when they will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Beckman.

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The Woman's Culture club met yesterday, at the home of Mrs. E. W. Moser, of east High street, after the regular program, the election of officers for the season of 1901 and 1902 took place, the roster being as follows: president, Mrs. Henry Reel; vice president, Mrs. Sadie Tracy; secretary, Mrs. F. Herold.

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Tuesday evening, the Epicurean Cooking club met at the home of Miss Ella Bressler and sent for one absent member, Miss Carrie Cory. When she arrived, they gave her a complete surprise, in the form of a "Kitchen Shower," raining upon her, utensils in granite ware, tin ware and wooden ware, enough to fit out a cozy kitchen, then serving a three course supper of dainty dishes prepared by the experts of the club. The only club guests were Mrs. D. Morris and Mrs. James Cory.

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Tomorrow Mrs. C. F. Lufkin leaves for New York, where she goes as a delegate from the Woman's Bay City Whist Club, to attend the Woman's National Whist club, which will convene on the Thirteenth at "Sherrys" and lasts four days.

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One hundred members of the Philomathean society, of Ada College, accepted the invitation of the Philomathean and Adelphians, of Lima College for last evening, arrived at 4:30 o'clock with President Lehr, Proffesor Punser and Captain Fitzgerald, as escorts, they were met by a committee, who soon had them on board street cars for Lima College and here they were given a warm welcome and by the societies. The chapel was transformed into a most inviting reception room with cozy corners made with screens seats and numerous pillows. The stage was fitted with easy seats and the walls covered with pictures, palms and blooming plants were in each convenient nook and on every hand "Old Glory" waved triumphantly. Following the reception all were seated in the dining room and an efficient committee served an appetizing supper, here the decorations were confined to the college colors, red and white festoons, ribbons falling over the table. Palms were the only touch needed to complete the picture and these were used profusely. A short social hour was followed by a most excellent program of eleven numbers, given in the well-filled college hall, which was profusely decorated with the colors of the society, purple and orange. At nine o'clock the cars were in waiting and all the guests were taken to their train feeling that their visit had been one of profit and pleasure, and had but strengthened their bond of good feeling. The various committees having the affair in charge, deserve much credit for their labors.

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The Philomatheans will meet with Mrs. C. E. Thomas next Friday evening. This is the last meeting of the year and a large attendance is desired. Election of officers, discussion of the work to be done next year, music, and a social session, will be the program.

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AID SOCIETY SOCIAL.

The Ladies Aid Society of the German Reformed church will give a social at Crall's hall next Tuesday evening. A good program has been prepared and a lunch will be served by the committee. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Admission ten cents.

QUIETLY WEDDED.

Miss Zella Nye, of Columbus Grove, and Mr. Younker, of Indianapolis, Ind., were quietly married at the home of the bride's parents April 22nd, and left the same day for their new home in Indianapolis.

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